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60th Anniversary

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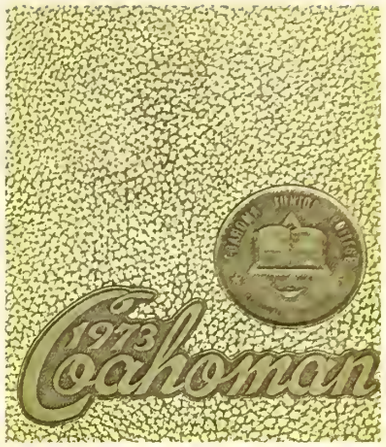
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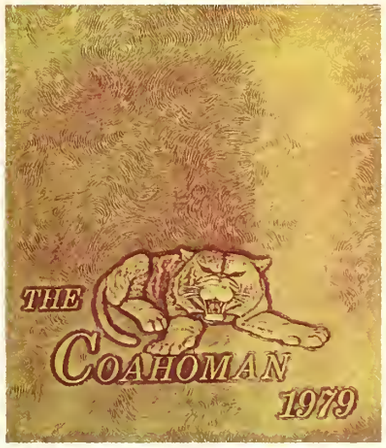
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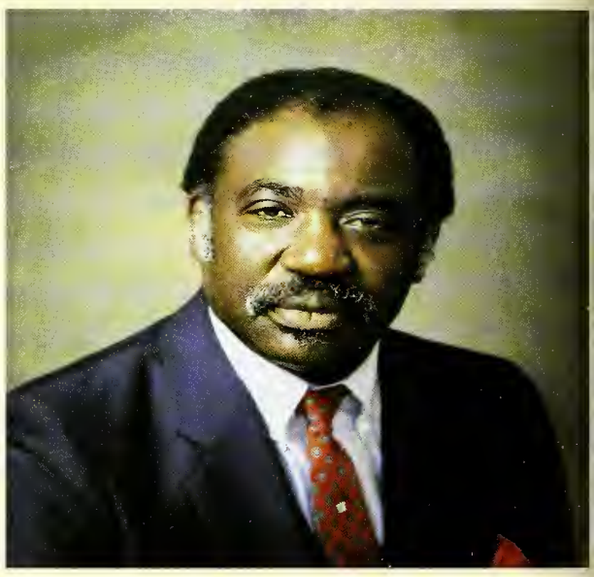

Dr. McKinley C. Martin, Third President
1980-1992

2009

Dr. Vivian M. Presley, Fourth President
1992 - present

Nineteen Forty-Nine
Coahoma Junior College

Route 1, Box 616
Clarksdale, Mississippi 38614
Enrollment - 22

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Coahoma Community College

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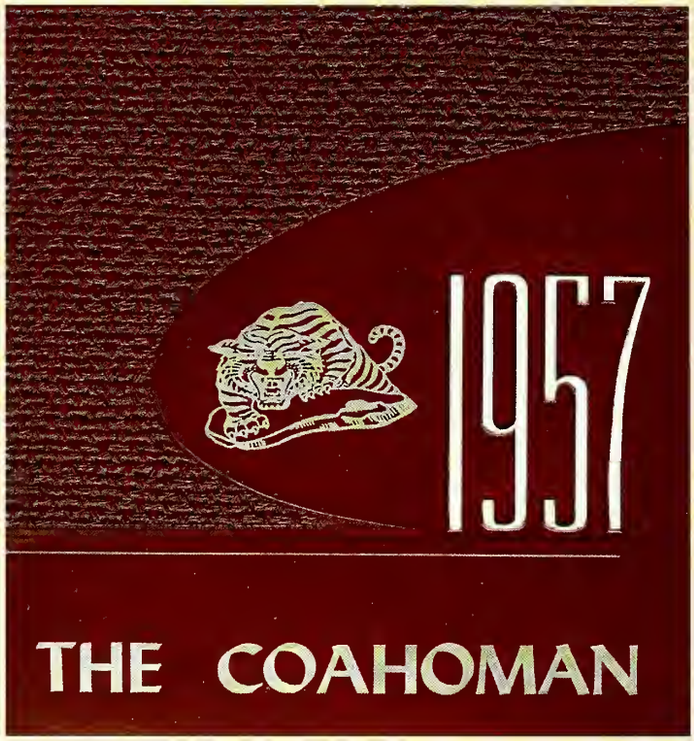
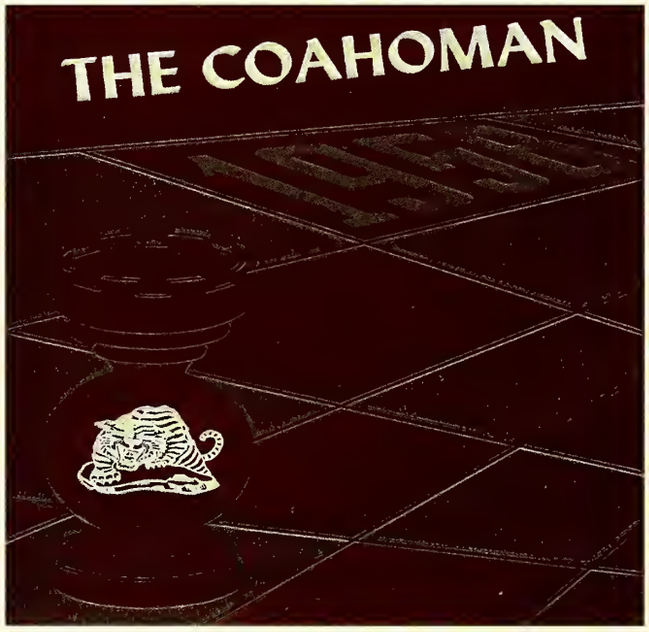
The First Three Yearbooks





When the first yearbook rolled of the press in 1957, we can imagine the overwhelming feeling **The Coahoman** yearbook staff felt. A yearbook is sometimes called an annual. It is a book that records events of the past school year through pictures and textual facts. After the third yearbook, Coahoma would always keep the tradition going until 1987 when **The Coahoman** was not published.

History of Coahoma Junior College

Establishing Coahoma County Agricultural High School in 1924, Coahoma County became the first county in Mississippi to provide an agricultural high school for Negroes under the then existing "separate but equal" doctrine for education. The junior college curriculum was added in 1949, and the name of the institution was changed to Coahoma Junior College and Agricultural High School.

During the first two years (1949-1950), the junior college program was conducted by one full-time college director-teacher and a sufficient number of part-time teachers from the high school division. A full-time dean and college faculty were employed the third year.

During the first year of operation (1949), Coahoma Junior College was supported entirely by county funds. In 1950 Coahoma junior College became the first educational institution for Negroes to be included in Mississippi's system of public junior colleges and to be eligible to share in funds appropriated by the Mississippi Legislature for the support of public junior colleges. Counties, other than Coahoma, that supported the college were Bolivar, Quitman, and Sunflower.

In 1965, Coahoma Junior College opened its doors to all students regardless of race, color, sex, national origin, or disability.

Coahoma Community College and Agricultural High School has been headed by eight superintendents found four presidents: M.L. Strange, 1924-25; J. M. Mosley, 1924-29; J. w. Addison, 1929-37; J. B. Wright, 1937-45; B. F. McLaurin, 1945-66; J. E. Miller, 1966-79; McKinley C. Martin,1980-92; and the incumbent Vivian Presley, 1992 to present. With her appointment as superintendent/president January 6, 1992, Dr. Vivian Presley became the first female to head Coahoma Community College and Agricultural High School and the first woman to head a community college in the state of Mississippi.

With the approval of the Board of Trustees of Coahoma Junior College and the State Board for Community and Junior Colleges, Coahoma Community College's name was changed to Coahoma Community College, effective July 1, 1989.

In the spring of 1995, after many years of not having an official district, a bill was introduced and passed by the Mississippi Legislature and signed by the Governor giving Coahoma Community College a district. Effective July 1, 1995, the Coahoma Community College district became Bolivar, Coahoma, Quitman, Tallahatchie, and Tunica Counties.

Spring

"DAR HE" by Mike Wiley

Mike Wiley (above) chronicles the 1955 murder of 14-year-olo Emmett Till, the trial, and confession of the men accused of his death in two performances on Sunday and Monday

More than 4,000 experieneed a dynamie ehroniele of Emmett Till's death in Tallahatehie County on August 28, 1955 - a landmark date in Ameriean eivil rights history - transformed into live theatre Monday, February 27, 2008 at Coahoma Community College by playwright/aetor Mike Wiley.

Projeeting multiple roles ranging from a reporter interviewing Till's accused murderers Roy Bryant and J.W.Milam in "our pieee of the Delta - that humid, mosquito-infested pieee of Mississippi" to the sometimes bragging, misunderstood, 14-year old stuttering Till himself, Wiley held the large crowd's attention for more than 60 minutes.

Attending were students from West Tallahatehie, John.F. Kennedy, Drew, Clarksdale, Coahoma County, and Aggie High Sehools, Jonestown Elementary, and George H. Oliver Elementary.

Wiley's story behind the Chicago teenager's visit to Money, Miss., his whistling at a white woman, Carolyn Bryant inside Bryant's Store, his subsequent kidnapping, beating and death by drowning, and the trial that found his aeeused murderers not guilty was told from numerous viewpoints.

In the finale, Wiley speaks lines from Till's mother:"Bo's death was a lesson in sacrifiee; I have beeome a Wailing Wall for all."

Adding dimension to the presentation were vintage photographs projeeted on a large screen depicting Till with his mother in Chieago, Bryant Store with its store sign flanked by elassie Coke caps, and a headline from Look magazine: "The shocking story of an approved killing in Mississippi."

Besieged by autograph-seekers, Wiley said he was motivated to create the play, so the Emmett Till story would not be forgotten and the incident would not be repeated.

In 2007 a racial reconciliation ceremony took place in Sumner with both black and white citizens participating and pledging to initiate community healing.

The CCC presentation was part of the college's Lyceum series funded by a Title III B grant from the U.S. Department of Education.

Lyceum Attraction 1974

Feddie Cole, third from the left, takes time to pose with members of the Lyceum Committee. Charles Reid, Public Relations Director; Band Director, Consuella Carter and Chairperson, Zee Anderson Barron

Although perhaps not so famous as his brother Nat King Cole, Freddie Cole developed an alluring style all his own; his music is a little smokier, a little jazzier, and has a bit more swing.

Basketball Homecoming

Miss Basketball mobbed by teammates Cheetara Johnson (wearing crown) of Stuttgart, Ark., is crowned Miss Basketball at Coahoma Community College at Basketball Homecoming celebration in the Pinnacle. Surrounding her are her teammates (from left) Jimishia Washington and LaSarah Branch, both of Cleveland; LeCora Beamon of Carthage; Ashley Robinson of Jackson; Kim Kern of Clarksdale; Brittany Carr of Jackson, and Shena Moore of Friars Point. The Lady Tigers defeated Hinds 89-68, and the Tigers won 72-53.

Athletes challenged to 'be the best' by legendary coach

Sank Powe and Athletic Director Freeman Horton

Sparing no punches in a "get-tough" motivational address at Coahoma Community College's 2008 Athletics Banquet, Sank Powe, legendary coach, athlete and author of "Grits, Guts, and Baseball" said, "I don't remember the name of every nice coach I had; but the coaches who pushed me, I love them."

"You have a tradition here (at Coahoma); you have the 'Sonic Boom' of Consuella Carter, and you can go from shoe shine boy to president," said the Cleveland native who coached baseball 32 years.

"We are diamonds in the rough here, and there is a price you have to pay to get to the next level," he continued.

A former player for the St. Louis Cardinals and the first African-American to coach the all-white Clevela High School baseball team and take them to s championships, Powe recommended, "Talk less a listen more; I challenge you to listen more."

"I want you to get the best; anybody can be a lose can't stand losers," he said. "I don't mind hurt someone's feelings'; he'll get over it."

MVPs Honored

Cayne Boykin of Leland, baseball; Nicholas Walker of Memphis, TN, defensive football; Antywan Jones, men's basketball; Leroy Banks of Memphis, TN, offensive football; Cheetra Johnson of Stuttghart, AR, women's basketball; and Stephanie Willis of Seattle, WA, softball

Gospel Concert kicks off CCC Cultural Awareness Week

Cultural Awareness Week at Coahoma Community College was kicked off with a lively gospel concert in the Pinnacle featuring acclaimed recording artists, the Canton Spirituals, led by Harvey Watkins and the Sons of Wonder of Friars Point with lead singer Raymond Myles Jr. The concert was sponsored by CCC's Lyceum Series.

Canton Spiritual with lead singer Harvey Watkins

Sons of Wonder with lead singer Raymond Myles Jr.

Art Show

Art students under the direction of Rosalind Wilcox held their annual art show for the college and the community. Several of the works were entered in the Juke Joint Festival student art show.

Lester Rosebur, a freshman, won best of show with his portrayal of a juke joint scene in acrylic.

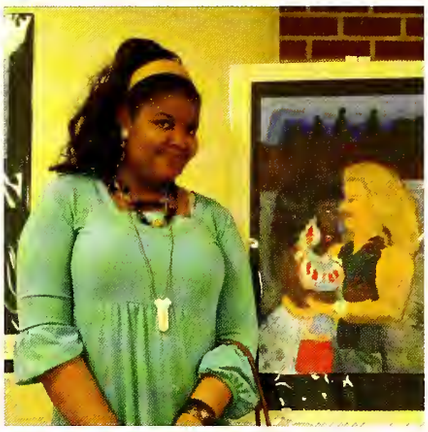
Kristopher Riley, a sophomore art design major, had different media representing window panes. He also won first place for his unique design. Whitney Moore, sophomore exhibited not only her self-portrait, but a product design from Big Mama's Corn Fritters. Moore is also experimenting with sewing as an artistic expression.

Ms. Wilcox is in her first year at the college. Visually impaired since age 22, she is able to motivate the students by her example to overcome whatever barriers stand in their way. She also sculpts, throws ceramics, paints, makes books, plays several musical instruments and makes jewelry. According to Paul Hymel, "she makes us work hard but we learn from her."

Other students exhibiting their works are Cassandra Hope, David Garcia, Hannah Brantley, Lopez Richardson, Lawrence Horton, Loretta Williams, Quintin Nash and Donald Thomas.

Kristopher Riley and Chairperson Fine Arts Department, Rosalind Wilcox

Kristopher Riley



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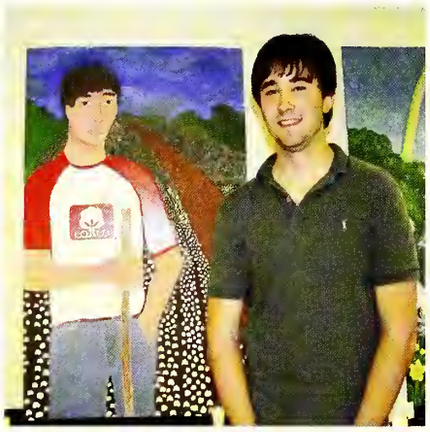


Paul Hymel

Lawrence Horton

David Garcia

Loretta Williams

Lester Rosebur

Hannah Brantley

Stanley Flagg's fine art

Cassandra Hope

Whitney Moore's fine art

Whitney Moore

Stanley Flagg

Art Department in 1974

Mr. Thomas Richardson, Art Instructor demonstrates the art of matting to student Charlotte Banks.

Mr. Henry Dorsey, Instructor watches students Curtis Mumford and Larry Wright pour plaster molding mix.

Junebug Jabbo Jones presents "Don't Start Me to Talking or I'll Tell You Everything I Know"

Saying from the Life and Writings of Junebug Jabbo Jones

Pictured with the playwriter and actor, John O'Neal is Albert Bailey, Markico Taylor, Ashley Banks and Fazenda Young.

The Junebug Jabbo Jones

Junebug tells of his own experiences growing up in Pike County, Mississippi in "In Them Old Cotton Fields Back Home".

The Junebug character is three plays centered around a folk character in the fullest sense of the tem despite the fact that most of the folk who participated in the generation of the character are literate. Although Junebug himself can be dated back to the early nineteen sixties, he an expression of a generic character type as old as the ages. Wherever and whenever oppressed people have taken stock of their situations and begun to consider what to do about it, Junebug or somebody like him may be found nearby.

Junebug comes from a long line of African storytellers. Aesop, the African was one of Junebug's forbearers. The innumerable praisesingers, the oral

Giving two performances in one day.

historians who have carried the records of events and the families of African peoples from time immemorial to now, are ancestors to the Junebug. The tales of Anansi the spider, the Uncle Remus tales, the John and Master tales, Langston Hughes' character, Simple, the street corner poets who chime the rhymes of Shine and Stagolee... all these and more are ancestors to this keeper of dreams and other scared things.

Since 1980, John O'Neal has presented the Junebug character in "Don't Start Me To Talking" to the enthusiastic response of audiences and critics through the United States, Canada, France and Scandinavia.

"Celebrating a Legacy of Excellence for Fifty-Nine Years"

Founders Day 2008

"If the Bible were written today, these individuals would be in it," said the Rev. Valmadge Towner, keynote speaker at Coahoma Community College's Founders Day celebration.

Referring to the five leaders being honored by the college: the late Frank Gambrell, former academic dean; Bennie S. Gooden, alumnus and longtime trustee; Charles F. Reid, former academic dean; Eddie C. Smith, veteran science professor and alumni director; and George F.Walker, chairman of the Mississippi College Board of Community and Junior Colleges, Towner pronounced all worthy of the "landmarks" being dedicated to them.

The dedicated "landmarks" include the Frank W. Gambrell Student Affairs Multi-Complex. Bennie S.Gooden Avenue, the Charles F. Reid Sponsored Programs Building, the Eddie C. Smith Sportsplex, and the George F. Walker Wellness Center.

Praising Frank Gambrell as "deserving of accolades," the keynote speaker who is a CCC alumnus and trustee and serves as Quitman County School District superintendent, continued his personal observations of Charles Reid as "smooth and quiet, but carried a big stick," and "never has there been a biology teacher who could dress so clean as Mr. Smith."

"Everybody has to have a Stone, and you wanted to be like Bennie Stone Gooden," he said.

Describing George Walker as a "modern-day Joseph," Towner added, "He has a microphone for Coahoma in high places."

"We will not forget them; we did not get where we are today without them," he said.

Dr. McKinley Martin, former CCC president, was recognized as Dr. Presley announced a new sign installed on the McKinley Martin Lifelong Learning Center that was dedicated in his honor years ago.

William West, computer technology specialist, was honored and presented an award for his 25 years of service.

George F. Walker, Eddie C. "Smitty" Smith, Charles F. Reid and Bennie S. Gooden honorees

The family of Frank W. Gambell, Jr. proudly display the commemorative plaque awarded to him posthumously.

Frank W. Gambell, Jr.

Bennie S. Gooden is flanked by members of his family.

Charles F. Reid humbly displays his plaque as he is surrounded by family members.

The broad smiles of Eddie C. "Smitty" Smith's family show how proud they are of the honor he has received.

George F. Walker's family rally around him as he proudly displays his plaque.

Graduation 2008

Before an audience of 3,000 Coahoma Community College graduates, their parents, supporters, and friends, state S upreme Court Justice James E. Graves Jr. offered congratulations and added, "Remember to light someone else's light"

"We are in a region with a high dropout rate, and that is why your graduation is a stunningly remarkable achievement, and your example is important," he said.

Justice Graves charged graduates to seek a balance between work, family, and spirituality. "Begin each day believing the world owes you nothing, because it doesn't," he said.

"People need to forgive, be kind, and succeed anyway," he said. "Be honest and frank,

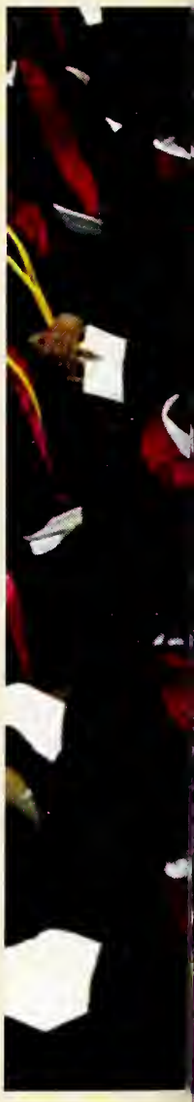
anyway; build anyway; be happy; the good you do today, people will forget tomorrow, but do good anyway."

"Give the world your best; it's between you and God anyway," he concluded.

Following his address, CCC President Vivian Presley conferred 250 degrees and honored the CCC class of 1958 with golden diplomas marking the 50th anniversary of their graduation.

Dr. Vivian Presley and
Judge James E. Graves

Class salutatorian Darrell Dixon, Jr. of and
Class valedictorian JuShuntia Stephens of Lyon



CCC Golden Class of 1958

The Golden Class of 1958 received golden diplomas. Class members include (front row from left) Anderson Lenard Jr. of Clarksdale and Frank Buragher of Mound Bayou (seated); Frank Bluntson of Jackson, Alma C. Brown and Jo Louise Brown, both of Clarksdale; Verdean Buford and Bessie Carroll, both of Chicago; Carrie Montgomery of Grand Rapids, Mich.; and Jewett Conner of East St. Louis, Ill.; (second row_ Mildred Wells-Dunn of Memphis; Johnny L. Harris of Huntsville, Ala.; Jessie Mildred James of Clarksdale; Everett L. LaVert of Chicago; Llelllyn B. Lenard of Clarksdale; Shirley Neal Jr. of Hattiesburg; and Louise Braxton Patton of Los Angeles; (top row) Yvonne Rich of Clarksdale and Neadie Lewers Trammell of Sardis.

CCC Choir Performs Spring Concert

The choir's spring concert was held at New Covenant M.B. Church. Among the soloists performing Thursday were Kimberly Suggs and Tyretha Downing, both of Jonestown; DeMario Johnson and Terrance Conners, both of Clarksdale.

Punctuated continually with applause from the audience, the concert was presented in four parts and included diverse selections ranging from classical sacred music to rocking gospel songs and a comic barber-shop quartet.

Former choir member Crystal Howard who is majoring in music at Delta State University performed "Go Down Moses," and was accompanied on piano by Lemorris Hunt. Also featured in a solo with the choir performing "God Is Keeping Me" was Timolin Howard of Mound Bayou.

Musicians accompanying the choir were Jennifer Stolle, pianist; Antonio Brown, keyboard; Corey Toole, percussionist; and Samuel Sago, bass guitar.

Innovative CCC Ventilator Build-Off Motivates Complex Problem-Solving

Students charged with building ventilators on $10 budgets

Dr. Vivian Presley, (right), questions two of the Respiratory Therapy Care students: Alliasica Byrd and Sherry Williams about the ventilator they designed for the competition.

Although ventilators are literally "the breath of life" for patients with respiratory problems, few hospitals expect therapists to build their own equipment for the job.

Not a problem, however, for students in Coahoma Community College's respiratory therapy program whose "breaking the mold" curriculum now includes a revolutionary Ventilator Build-Off competition. It's the first in the nation.

The rules were simple: (1) the ventilator must be an original design; (2) it could be electric, pneumatic or manual; (3) the students must be able to describe the function and mechanical/physical principles of operation; (4) they could use anything at hand to build it, but (5) they could only spend $10 total. Projects would be judged by managers of clinical affiliates in a Ventilator Build-Off with winners awarded cash prizes and books.

Winning first place was the team of Johneka Brown and Fallon Dukes, both of Clarksdale. Second place winners were Princess Collins of Clarksdale and Roxanne Coleman of Cordova, Tenn.

Mr. & Miss Coahoma Community Colleg
2008-2009

Delores Yvette Harris
&
Mattew Harris, Jr.

"When Dreams Come True"

Delores Harris is the nineteen year-old daughter of Mr. Matthew Harris, Sr. and Mrs. Delores Gunartt Harris of Clarksdale, Mississippi. She is the third of five children and the twin of Matthew Jr. Her hobbies include: reading, exericising, spending time with family and firiends, shopping, playing pool, and cooking. Delores is a Pre-Pharmacy major at Coahoma and plans to attend the University of Mississippi and study pharmacy. She hopes to become a successful pharmacist and work with those who are less fortuante.

Matthew Harris is the nineteen year-old son Mr. Matthew Harris, Sr. and Mrs. Delores Gunartt Harris of Clarksdale, Mississippi. He is the third of five children and the twin of Delores. In addition to Mr. Coahoma, Matthew is a CCC Ambassador, president of SIFE, and writer for the ***Coahoma Tribune****. Matthew is a social science major and aspires to become a social science professor after furthering his education at the University of Mississippi. Matthew wants to help individuals as others helped him.*

Alternate to Miss CCC & Royal Escort
Edreika McCoy & Eric Nelson

Homecoming Queen & Escort
Jocelyn Bays & Bryant Meeks

Freshman Royalty
Latoria Carr & Marvin Pittman

Sophomore Royalty
Sheena More & James Gooden

Royal Ushers
Nicholas Walker & Nigelas Walker

Crown Prince & Gift Prince
Kamryn Cox & Sedeki Satcher

Flower Princess & Crown Princess
McKindria Pitts & Kelsey Johnson

Student Government Association
Tasheena Galmore & Darrell Dixon

Ambassadors
LaChasity Brown & Saint Ranson

Band
Chantilya Glasper & Melvin Johnson

Baptist Student Union
eonka Hammonde & Jeffery Stokes

Choir
Minnie Brown & Booker Johnson

Delta Epsilon Chi
Shawandia Nawls

Dormitory Council
Allyscia Clerk-Beamon & Lawrence Horton

Epicurean Club
Rita Hughes & Larry Wiley, Jr.

Phi Beta Lambda
Lashundra Hodges & Quincy Moton

Respiratory Care
Shawonda Leslie & Torrey Calhoun

Skills USA
Quateria Caston & Coredro Price

Students In Free Enterprise
Lynette Williams

Computer Science Society
Jalessa Harris & Brandon Green

Accounting Society
LaSherica Shaw & Melvin Broom

Associate Degree in Nursing
Latonya Newson & Sylvester Thornton

Social Science
Whitney Patrick & James Ranson

Criminal Justice
Latrena Moore & Terrance Conner

Education Club
Whitney Moore & Shane Hardmon

English Club
Mariesha Thompson & Henry Washington

Health & Physical Education
Cheetara Johnson & Tavaris Jeffries

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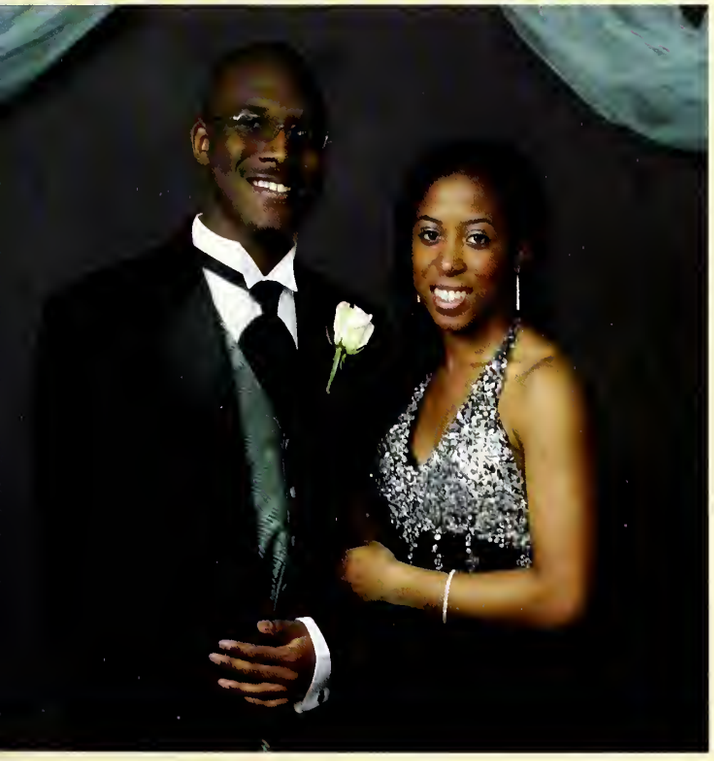

Master & Mistress of Ceremonies
Edward Seals & Jessica Bays

President
Dr. Vivian M. Presley

Miss Coahoma Junior/Community College
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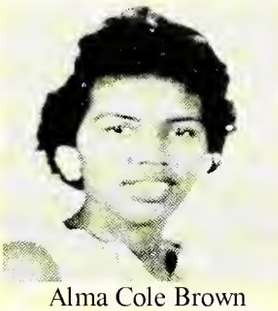
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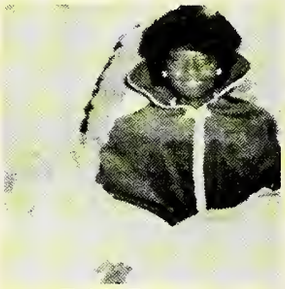
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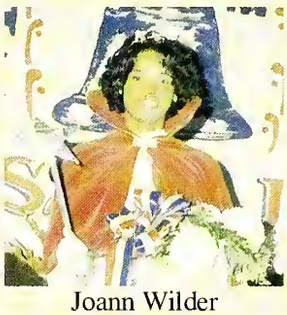
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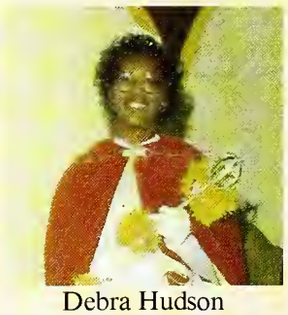
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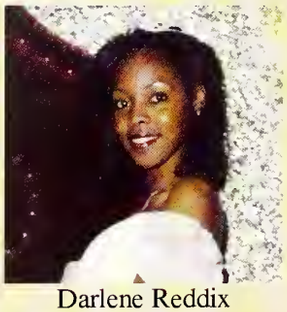
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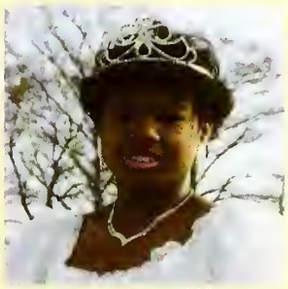
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Jamie Done
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Aerrial Denise Silket
2002 - 2003

Oberlin Wilvita Newell
2003 - 2004

Candace C. Barnes
2004 - 2005

Samantha Hardmon
2005 - 2006

Andrea Barnes
2006 - 2007

Sharifa Nailah Jones
2007 - 2008

Clubs & Organizations

Ambassadors

Seated: Kenya Polite; LaChasity Brown, Secretary; Delores Harris:
Kristen Davis, Assistant Secretary
Standing: Saint Ranson; Matthew Harris, President; Edward Seals :
Patrick Ray of Cleveland, Vice President

Student Ambassadors represent Coahoma Community College well wherever they go. They must maintain a 3.0 GPA at the end of each semester and display an honest character that reflects upon who they are in their duties as Ambassadors.

Ambassadors are top students who exemplify high moral character, excellent leadership ability, and a profound work ethic.

Each year the student Ambassadors are chosen by head of admissions, Wanda Holmes, to carry our specific duties on and off campus form volunteering in the admissions office, being called upon to usher at important events, and volunteering for service to the community.

The goal is to increase awareness about the educational opportunities at Coahoma by exhibiting dedication, leadership, and most importantly hard work.

By Matthew Harris

Students in Free Enterprise

SIFE

SIFE is a partnership between business and higher education that is preparing the next generation of entrepreneurs and business leaders to create a better world for everyone.

SIFE's global network consists of business executives, university students and academic leaders.

SIFE students form teams that serve their communities by developing projects that take what they are learning in their classrooms about business and use it to solve real world problems for real people. Business executives support the program through corporate donations, personal contributions and the gift of their time.

The SIFE program concentrates on five areas: market economics, success skills, entrepreneurship, financial literacy and business ethics.

The students are led by faculty advisors who challenge them to develop projects that specifically meet the unique needs of their communities. Their efforts help aspiring entrepreneurs, struggling business owners, low-income families and children experience success.

SIFE teams present the results of their community projects annually at regional, national and international competitions. Business executives judge the competitions and select the winners based on which teams they believe had the most impact through their educational outreach projects.

Through SIFE, students improve their communities and experience profound personal growth. As these young people assume leadership roles of significance and influence, they will be the key to leading more sustainable enterprises, building stronger communities and creating a world with greater opportunity for all of us.

Seated: Deidra Stokes of Detroit; Jaleesa Harris, Secretary; Mariesha Thompson of Lyon; Delores Harris; Karanetria Gray of Jonestown, Vice President; LaChasity Brown
Standing: Edward Seals, Treasurer; Patrick Ray of Cleveland; Matthew Harris, President; James Hence

English Club

The English Club is a club designed for those students that share a mutual interest in English, literature, and in culture. All English majors, as well as, other interested persons are encouraged to join. The English Club strives to promote the influence that the English language and literature has on the world. During homecoming week, the English Club worked enthusiastically on the English department's display and the homecoming booth at the carnival held at the beginning of the week's festivities. The English Club has also worked on several projects including sponsoring a canned food drive to assist the care station in preparing Christmas dinners for people in the community. Members of the English Club and Coahoma Community College's English department work diligently to carry out its mission to spread literacy on campus and throughout the community.

By Mareisha Thompson

Standing: Vera Griffin and Fatina Elliot, Advisers; Kristen Davis; Lopaz Richardson; Karanteria Gray of Jonestown, Secretary; Edward Seals; Jaleesa Harris, Executive Assistant; Robert Rockett and Wanda Reed, Advisers
Seated: Mariesha Thompson of Lyon, President; Henry Washington, Vice President

l Science

Our mission is to help educate students and community to be responsible members of this democratic society.

The Social Studies Club is open to all students who enroll in any form of social studies. This club is heavily involved in civic and community activities. Special emphasis is placed on reading to elementary school students, assisting the elderly, and feeding the hungry.

To become productive citizens, students learn by integrating Social Science with other disciplines. This allows them to demonstrate the knowledge, attitudes, and problem solving skills needed in this society.

By Matthew Harris

Fowler of Coahoma; Mary Evans; Takellia Lynch, Vice President; Angela Burden; Dominique
ks; Ndidi Brownlee
eth Done, Adviser; John Dykes; Marcus Jones of Cleveland; Tunder Davis of Jonestown; Jejuan
iver of Memphis, TN; Davarian Ursin of Reserve, LA; Jarvell Brown of Lyon; Darryl Vassel of
)mari Flowers; Matthew Harris, President; Anita Walton of Coahoma, Secretary; Darius Tyler of
sha Thompson of Lyon

First Row: Antonio Bullock, Parliamentarian; Delores Rich, Assistant Secretary; Rita Hughes, Secretary; Bridgette Brinkley, Treasurer
Second Row: Earnest Bell of Duncan, President; Shelia Sanders, Adviser; Kiyonte Griffin of Shelby, Parliamentarian; Christopher Coleman of Shelby, Vice President

Skill USA

SkillsUSA is a national, nonprofit organization that serves more than 285,000 members annually. SkillsUSA is a partnership of students, teachers and industry. While working together to ensure America has a skilled work force, SkillsUSA helps every student excel. SkillsUSA serves high school and college students who are enrolled in programs preparing them for technical, skilled, and service careers. SkillsUSA adds to students' technical training by teaching them leadership skills, teamwork, citizenship, and character developmental things that go into shaping responsible, reliable employees who will one day become leaders in our workplace.

SkillsUSA's mission is to help its members become world-class workers and responsible American citizens.

The SkillsUSA students participated in the carnival and were host and hostesses at the Gospel Fest during the week of homecoming.

The SkillsUSA students also plan to participate in Open House with the Tech Prep Consortium.
The group plans to collect can goods for the Care Station and hopefully serve food for the elderly.

First Row: Chaplain, Claudette Carter; Assistant Secretary Tocnga Skinner; Donna Virgin, Secretary; Veda Johnson, Vice President; Yalanda Hawkins *Second Row:* Bobbie DeShazer, Adviser; Bertina Howard of Lyon; Danisha Rice of Jonestown; Tonya Thomas; Sade Davis of Shelby; Kenisha Rice of Jonestown; Kimberly Hollins, Adviser; *Third Row:* Tyson Gaston, Reporter; Ora Stokes; Keisha Horsley of Rosedale; Merissa Groce of Drew; Kimberly Suggs of Jonestown; *Forth Row:* Kassica Horton, President; Jessica Lewis; Lakeshia Larry of Jonestown; Teresa Johnson; Amory Hubson of Shelby; Tuana Hawkins; Felicia Kimmons; Kierra Bailey of Lyon; Katrina Crockett; Rhonda Crockett *Fifth Row:* Dennis Hawkins, Jr.; Paula Whittington; Mary Stewart; Arthadius Dudley; Yashonda Horsley of Rosedale; Terrence Phillips, Atlanta, GA.

Phi Beta Lambda

Phi Beta Lambda is a business organization designed to prepare the student for success as leaders in business, government, and the community. The mission is to bring business and education together in a positive working relationship through innovative leadership and career development programs.

For the 2008-2009 calendar year, the members of Phi Beta Lambda have raised funds to help the March of Dimes. This is a yearly fundraiser for the organization. The Phi Beta Lambda organization recently helped one of its members whose house burned. The organization would give to a needy family every year, but the organization thought it was fitting to give to a member.

Teresa Johnson of Shelby receives a plaque for Student of the Year.

Math & Science Club

Objectives of the math & science club:

Helping each other develop a sense of responsibility and a more cooperative attitude through group participation;to help each member learn to interpret and analyze the issue of science and mathematics, to help each member learn to think critically; to encourage research in the sciences and mathematics and present seminars; and to meet other people.

Goals:
To network with science and math professionals and become more visible on campus.

President - Edward Seals
Treasurer - Vernita Stephens
Secretary - Karisha Lackey
Coronation Representatives -
Sean Cummings & Karisha Lackey

First Row: Adrian Allen, Adviser; Joseph Scruggs of Rena Lara; Zerika Cusic of Dundee; Karisha Lackey; Sean Cummings; LaChasity Brown; Vernita Stephens
Second Row: Bhama Sridharan, Adviser; Angela Reynolds, Adviser; Thaddeus Myles of Dundee; Edward Seals; ChiQuaisha Done of Friars Point; Stanley Scruggs of Rena Lara; Patricia Furdge, Chair/Adviser; Joharrison Rockett, Adviser

*l:*Treasurer/Assistant Secretary, Michaela Goodson of Cleveland; Chief of Staff, Arshada
ers; Secretary, Tasheena Galmore of Jonestown; Reporter, Delores Harris
*ing:*Vice President, Edward Seals; Public Information Officer, LaChasity Brown; President,
Ranson; Chair Student Activity Council, Tensely Cowen of Jackson; Co-Chair Student
ty Council, Richelle Maddox of Cleveland; Parliamentarian, Matthew Harris

dent Government Association

The Student Government ociation of Coahoma Community lege serves as a liaison between the ninistration and students. The pose of the Student Government ociation is to further the best rests of the students through resentation of the student body in tters affecting student life and irs, as well as to promote and ervise student organizations and vities. The Student Government ociation has successfully conducted ned food drives. Other activities ude student surveying, social vities, and mentoring of elementary dents.

The Student Government Association continues to serve the students in a very positive and sociable manner.

Student Senate

The Student Senate is the legislative body of the Student Government Association. It consists of the Executive Officers of the Student Government Association and the elected Club and Organization Presidents. The Student Senate is open to all students, administration, faculty, and staff.

Coahoman Tribune

Seated: Editor, Matthew Harris; Student Life Writer, Tasheena Galmore of Jonestown
Standing: Sports Writer, Isaac Morris; Staff Writer, Edward Seals; Staff Writer. Kenya Polite; Staff Writer, Thaddeus Myles of Friars Point
The adviser is LaShasa Griffin, Student Support Services Coordinator.

The **Coahoma Tribune** is the official campus newspaper published twice a school year by students of Coahoma Community College under the advisement of Student Support Services Coordinator. The **Coahoma Tribune** places emphasis on news of interest to students, faculty, staff and alumni. This year the newspaper staff introduced better graphics and photos. Faculty and staff are encouraged to submit information for publication.

The **Coahoma Tribune** is available in hardcopy and as a pdf file on the Student Affairs webpage of the Coahoma Community College website. Staff members of the **Coahoma Tribune** meet every first and third Thursday at 2:00 p.m. to work on newspaper assignments in the Student Affairs Conference Room.

Spanish Club

The Pura Vida Spanish Club of Coahoma Community College seeks goodwill, understanding, and unity among all people while increasing awareness of Hispanic culture and the Spanish language through diverse educational and cultural activities. Pura Vida is a Costa Rican phrase which means "pure life" and implies a sense of living life to the fullest. Pura Vida seeks to enjoy life through learning more about and participating in Hispanic culture.

In the fall of 2008, Pura Vida was founded by a group of students eager to learn more about the language and the culture. That semester the club hosted a lunch at Atzimba's Mexican Restaurant in Clarksdale, MS in November.

In December, the club hosted the first installment of the Spanish Film Series featuring the movie Bella. The Spanish Film Series continued in the spring of 2009. Other events in the spring of 2009 included fundraising events and a Cinco de Mayo celebration.

Markeith Westmoreland of Webb; Jamie Stapleton; President, JaKendria Magsby; Vice President, Jer'Andrea Ross; Secretary/Treasurer, Marley Barabieri; Student Government Representative, Darius Tyler of Tutwiler; Instructor and Club Adviser, Joshua Nave

Epicurean Society

The Epicurean Society, Coahoma Community College's fine dining and culture club, heated things up in the 2008-2009 school year. From sold out food festivals, to first class catered affairs, to trips both near and far; to say the Epicurean Society was busy is a bold understatement. For the second year in a row, members of the Epicurean Society competed in the state SkillsUSA competition winning first place honors and securing a slot in the national competition held in Kansas City, MO.

Planning the Parisian Adventure

Despite their small town origins, culinary arts students at Coahoma Community College have earned accolades for pleasing palates including top educators, state lawmakers, and Tony Award-winning actors in town for the Tennessee Williams Festival. These five future chefs embarked on a great adventure at Le Cordon Bleu Paris cooking school that changed their lives. "This was an once-in-a-lifetime cultural experience for my students and they are most deserving," comments Chef Robert Rhymes, director of CCC's culinary arts program. The trip to Paris was organized by Chef Rhymes with a crash course in French from his mother Josephine Rhymes.

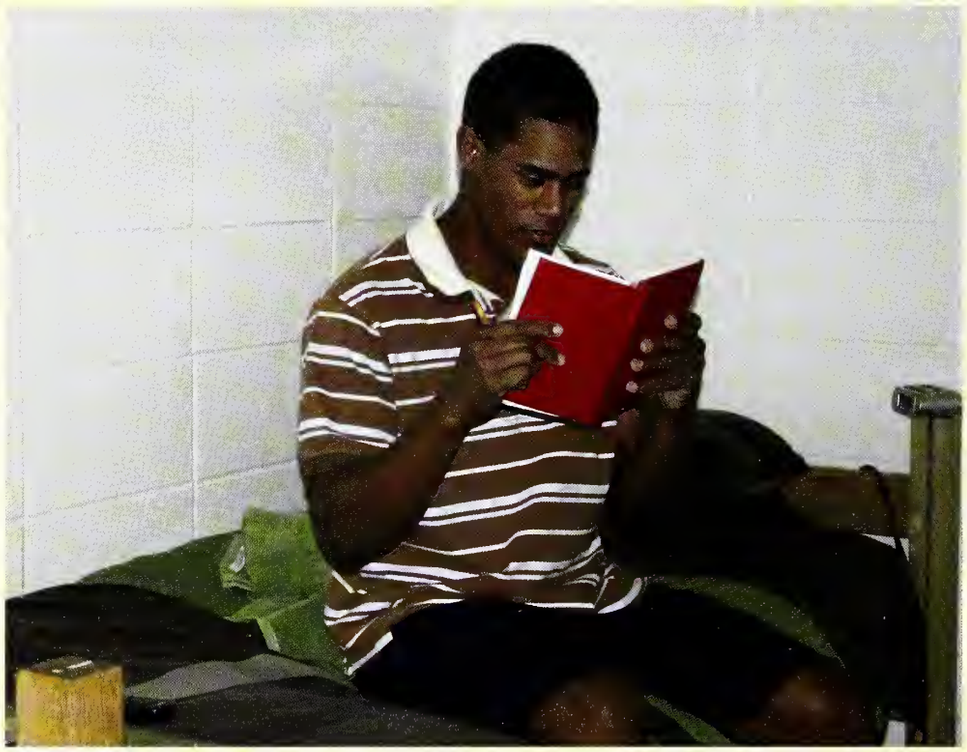
By Public Relations
Panny Mayfield

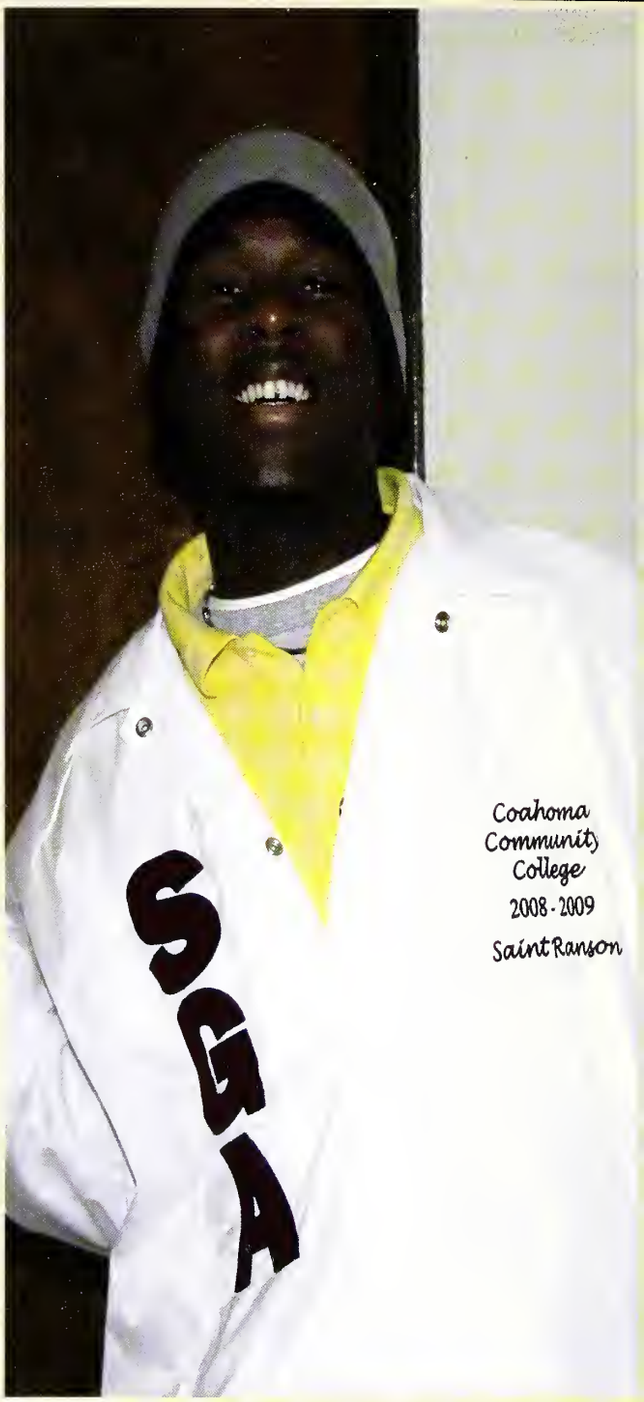
Pictured: Larry Wiley of Jonestown, Ja'Leesa Green of Hazelhurst, Chef Robert Rhymes, Rita Hughes, Joanne Hoskins of Tutwiler, Donald Thomas of Coahoma and Josephine Rhymes

Chefs at the Clarksdale Chamber of Commerce Banquet
Antonio Bullock, Sherita Westmoreland, Chenet Weathers, Rita Hughes, Delores Rich, Chef Marvin Woods, Gwen Shaw, Antwan Simpson, Timothy Payno and Marion Banks

Lifestyle

Natalia Hasting of Booneville finds time to complete homework before softball practice.





Top photo: Jimenez Encarnacion of Hillsboro, TX is taking time out from studying to read one of his favorite books.

Middle photo: Saint Ranson of Clarksdale is trying to visit a friend but not sure of the room number.

Botton photo:

David Gallegher of Cantoment, FL is enjoying his favorite pastime...playing video games.

Brittney Vince of Tutwiller takes a second from her work to smile for the camera.

Laptop Queens

Whittney King of Memphis, TN is checking out her Superfun Wall on her Facebook page.

Top Photo: Micheal Ruffin of Memphis takes the time to get a cold drink.

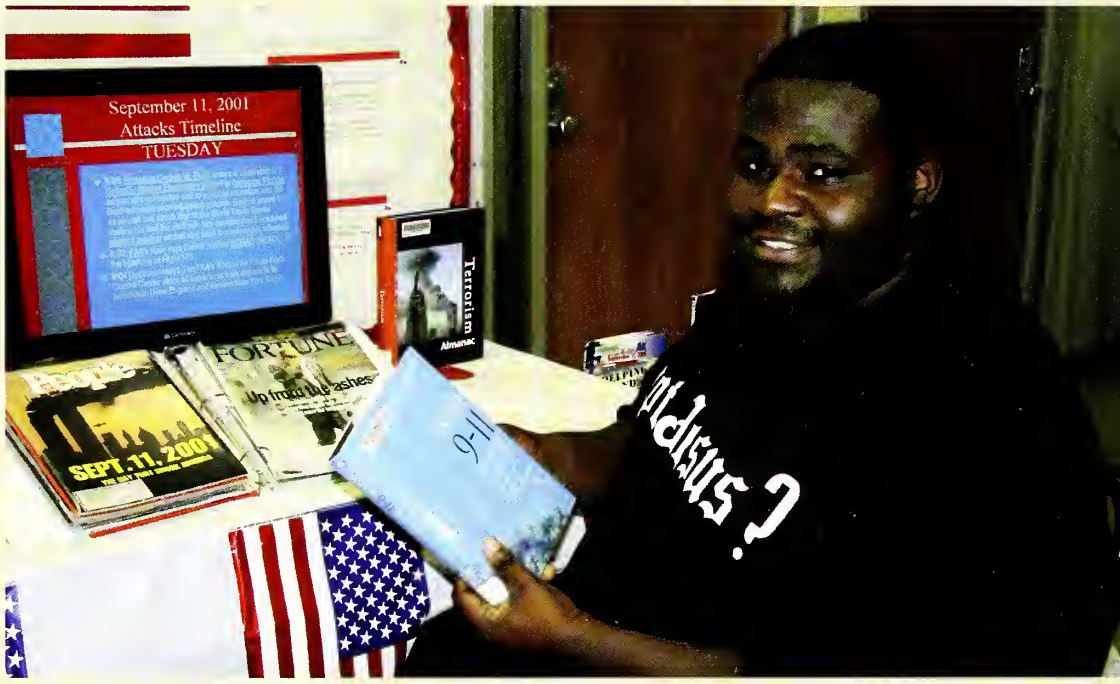
Middle Photo: Darryl Vassel of Mound Bayou is studying for finals.

Bottom Photo: LaQuivia Marion of Memphis feeds Lawrence Horton of Clarksdale one of her French fries from Popeye's.

Left photo: Jami Taylor takes a second away from her homework to pose for this picture. Thanks, Jami!

Middle photo: Danile Lee of Gunnison. DeConte Walker of Rosedale, Tracey James of Southhaven are wrapped up in the game.

Nakita Kimble of Charleston chats on her phone while relaxing.



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2001, I can remember just where I was doing. I can remember being in the le High School because at the time I was As I began to watch the news, I was d at the same time. It was showing the ames. Papers were flying everywhere. billowing clouds and you could barely as showing replays of how these huge ely flew into one building at first, and ding. Then all of a sudden, one of the l, and then the next in what seems like hes and dust surrounded just about the whole city. I can recall people running for their lives, being gray with ashes from head to toe, and just total chaos. I remember how horrified all of us were at the thought of the whole United States being under attack. It seemed like WWIII. I can also recall the librarian's face and how her eyes were filled with tears. It was very scary because none of us knew what to think or to expect. I know one thing; it really brought the nation together. It is so amazing to me how my God, yes I did say "my God", had to allow such an atrocious event to happen to this nation in order for the people to start loving, giving, and caring about one another more. We should have been doing this all the time.

By Martellis Cowsett

Langston Johnson of Greenville, Jakita Leflore, Amanda Ringo of Alligator take a look at the 911 display in the library.

My 911 experience has been mixed up with horror, sadness and surprises.
On the day of 2001 September I was in Kathmandu, Nepal. It was evening time there. I was at the garden of my home. My neighbor asked me to watch the TV. There was replaying of the extreme of the terrorism. I could not believe my eyes. It was very sad to know that thousands of innocent people were being killed. I was stunned.

When I came out of my home people were talking on the streets about the horrible terrorism. If USA, the example of the democracy to the world, the heart of the modernization, the dreamland of many in the world can experience such an attack. nobody is safe in the world. The attack was against the civilization, modernization, democracy and justice. The people behind this killing should not go unpunished.

By Kusum Bhetwal

Terrorist Attacks

The pain and shock are still the same.

Kusum Bhetwal of Lyon, Brusha Moore of Jonestown discuss the 911 display listening to each other tell how they felt after hearing about the attacks that day.

Patrick Oliver of Memphis checks messages on myspace.

LeeKeyra Carmicheal of Clarksdale puts the fininshing touches on her hairstyle for the day.

Shari Johnson of Charleston studies hard for her chemistry final.

Ameta Brady of Boyle

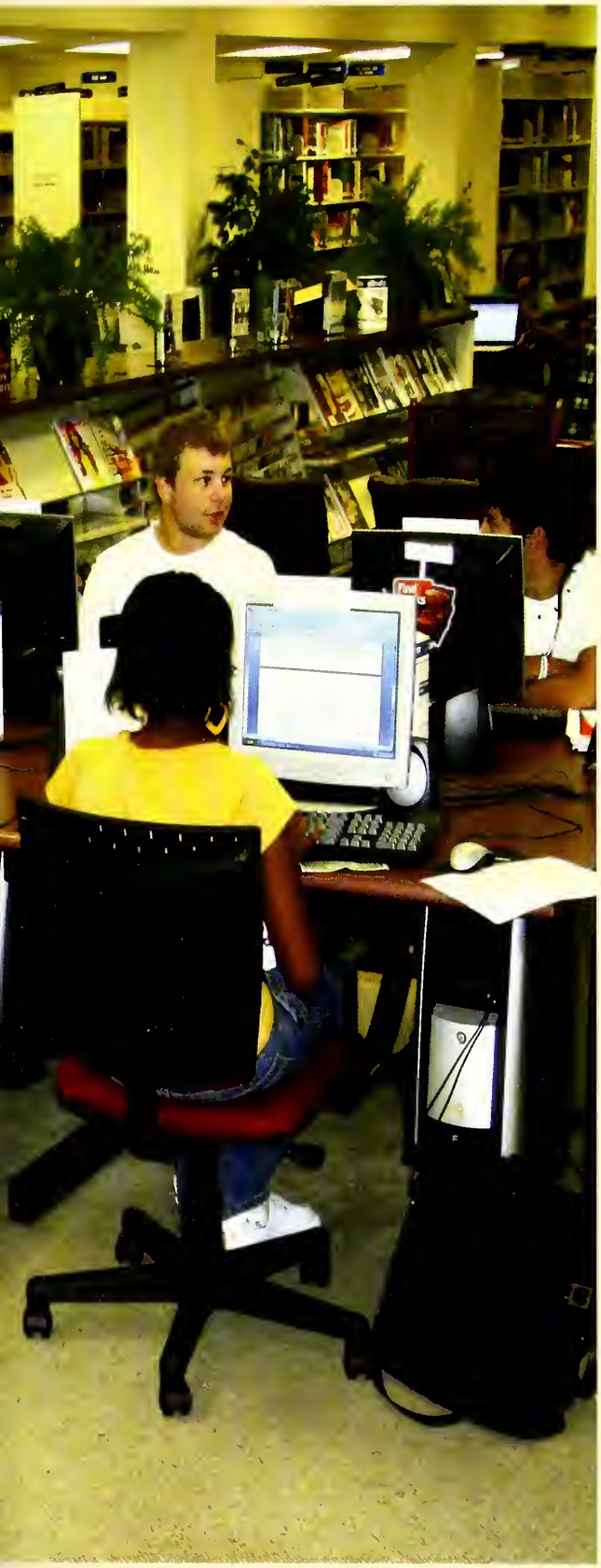
AIDS Awareness Day December 1, 2008

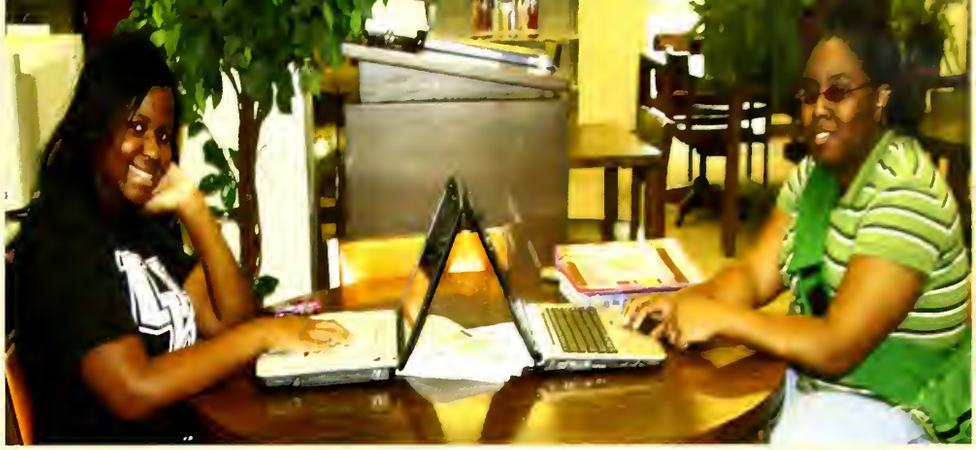
Faculty and students attended Coahoma Communtiy College's AIDS Awareness Day on December 1, 2008. Students were informed about the causes of AIDS and were also given several bochures and pamplets on the disease. Some students were given the opportunity to get tested for AIDS as all of the speakers informed them that "It's better to know." In the top left photo, Cordell Davis of Clarksdale speaks with one of the representivites present. Also, in the top right photo, Demare' Cohn reads a display containing several pamplets on HIV and AIDS. In the photo to the left, guests look at a memorial for people who have died because of complications of the disease.

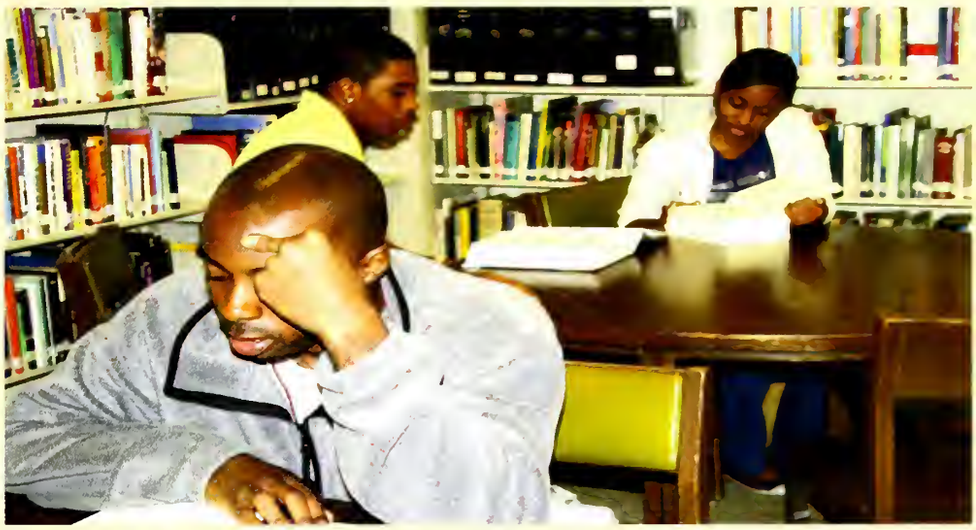
By Mariesha Thompson

Always Busy

A typical library day.







Top photo: Lakita Scott and Marquesha Lewis of Rosedale

Middle photo: Melvin Marshall of Clarksdale, Brandon Woodland of Hattiesburg, Veonka Hammond of Clarksdale

Bottom photo: Anita Walton of Coahoma, Rickey Luckett of Yazoo City, Rickey Dodson

ntramural Football bs

With a record of 7-1, Coahoma Community College's 'Dream Team' wins CCC's Football Tournament championship on James E. Miller Field. Celebrating their victory and wearing championship shirts are (seated from left) Dwayne McKnight, Cleveland, activities assistant; Denzel Washington; Darnell Clay, Greenville; Travis Price; Corderro Price, and Vincent Hayes; (standing) Samuel Austin, Jarvell Broom, Lyon; Patrick Ray, Cleveland; Aaron Encalade, Hammond, LA; Demarae Cohn, Webb; H. Todd; Markeith Westmoreland, Webb; Omari Flowers, and Coach Anthony Taylor, intramural coordinator. Winning second place with a 6-2 record was 'Top Shelf.'

Dream ver' Talk

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self-esteem and expectations of success before an audience packing the Georgia Lewis Theatre. Among the students, faculty, and staff congratulating him on his presentation afterward are (from left) Jami Taylor of Bruce; Karen Done, liberal arts chairman; Marzeanis Coleman of Jonestown; Evelyn Washington, academic counselor; TuRhonda Saffold of Clarksdale, Dentrell George of Friars Point; Akilah Miles of Jonestown; Tanisha Wilder-Haines of Clarksdale; and Tunder Davis of Jonestown. Little's talk was sponsored by CCC and the Mississippi Coalition Against Domestic Violence.

High School Day

More than 700 high school students from a five-county area enjoy a diversified High School Day at Coahoma Community College Wednesday including participating in basketball games with faculty (above); shows by the CCC Concert Choir, Tiger Band, and cheerleaders. Attending were students from West Bolivar High School, the D.M. Smith Middle School, Broadstreet High of Shelby, J.F. Kennedy High of Mound Bayou; West Tallahatchie High of Webb; East Side High of Cleveland, Coahoma County High, Aggie High, and Clarksdale High School. The event was co-sponsored by CCC's Admissions and Student Affairs Departments.

Kicking the Coahoma Community College Concert Choir's presentation up a notch during High School Day Wednesday before more than 700 high school students from a five-county area, is CCC admissions staffer Taneshia Young, with her Jennifer Hudson-style rendition of 'You're Gonna Love Me,' from the movie *Dream Girls*. Young was 'discovered' earlier during CCC's homecoming faculty talent show.

Practical Nursing Pinning Ceremony

A large audience of educators, medical professionals, relatives, and friends applauded a pinning ceremony honoring twenty-five students enrolled in Coahoma Community College's practical nursing program Thursday, December 4, 2008.

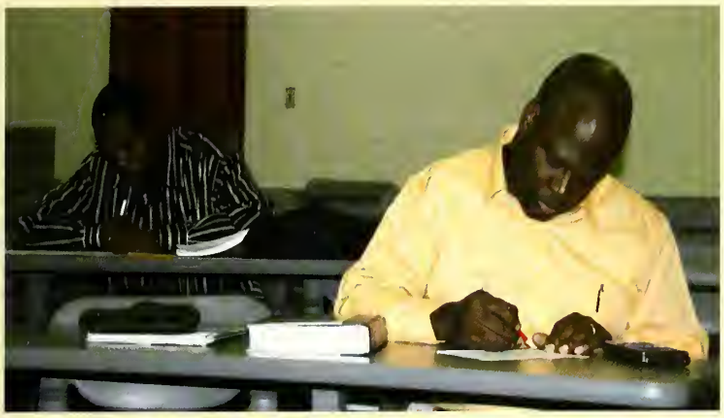
Tutwiler Clinic's Sister Cora Lee Middleton, a registered nurse, was the keynote speaker. She is also a former science teacher and migrant outreach worker. She told the graduates that "Nurses are making a difference every day, one by one."

She relayed the story of a child admonished for returning stranded starfish into the ocean when there were hundreds more on the beach. "But I am making a difference; I am saving this starfish," he said.

Middleton asked students, "How full is your bucket?" "Each person has an invisible bucket, and we have an invisible dipper; every time we interact with others, we either fill or take away from the bucket," she said. "New nurses have the ability to change someone's life by the way they interact." She told the students to recognize their invisible bucket and the bucket of the patient. The speaker emphasized the importance of small things that can become agents for change.

Receiving special awards were Chandra Daniels of Rena Lara, for the highest average; Michelle Lucas of Cleveland for the second highest average; Tammy D. Jones of Clarksdale for citizenship, and Shonda D. Pearl of Greenville, special award.

Receiving pins were Seltonia Andrews of Clarksdale; Pamela Christian of Shelby; Chandra Daniels of Rena Lara; Stephanie Davis of Greenville; Debra Douglas of Clarksdale; Felicia Dukes of Friars Point; and Mallory Farmer of Clarksdale. Dana Gaston of Rena Lara; Andrea Johnson of Greenville; Kabreisha Johnson of Leland; Audrey Jones of Boyle; Lasandra Jones, Tammy Jones, and Shandrisha Lawson, all of Clarksdale; Michelle Lucas of Cleveland; Carolyn Mack of Leland. RaSheda Mack of Leland; Amber McNeal and Bryant Meeks, both of Clarksdale; Shonda Pearl of Greenville; Jennifer Poole of Lambert; John Moot of Southaven; Carolyn Taylor of Indianola; Kinyatta Ware of Greenville; and Ann Weiss of Clarksdale.



General Chemistry

Laquavis Burton of Duncan and Eddie Gates of Clarksdale

Jeremy Sargent, Sean Commings, Trent Calvin and Larisha Lackey of Clarksdale

First Aide

Amber Logan of Summer, Catrina Furr-Smith, Vernita Stephens of Clarksdale, Tiffany Fields, Donterius Williams of Shelby, Emily Johnson, Barbara Pigee and Lucille Anderson of Clarksdale
Johnny Noah, Instructor

Introduction to Computer Concepts

Tunder Davis of Jonestown, Kai Hoyt, Lashawn Hoyt of Cleveland, Tiaria Coley of Jonestown and Sherborshia Williams of Clarksdale

Left photo: Mario Carter of Cleveland, Roosevelt Thomas and Kelvin Taylor of Clarksdale, Orlando Paden, Career Center Manager

Career Center

Tanga Skinner of Shelby and Carmekia Tucker of Duncan

General Psychology

Tonya Thomas, Jaleesa Harris of Clarksdale, Sharon Moore of Shelby, Samantha Barnfield of Marks, Richelle Maddox, Machaela Goodson of Cleveland, Otis Stanford, Instructor

Friends for Life

Akeene Lewis of Little Rock, AR, Marshawn Carr of Memphis, TN and Cordaryl Campbell of Rosedale

Barbering and Cosmetology

Aldarian Summerville of Leland takes instructions from Jessie Nunley, Instructor, on how to master the flat iron on Mafiyania Butler of Cleveland.

Tonja Johnson of Leland shaves Eric Galmore of Jonestown.

Felicia Adams of Lambert gives a great shampoo to her hometown friend, Valerie Williams.

Keonna Pittman of Tutwiler has the touch for giving a well-defined manicure to Chelcia Flowers of Clarksdale.

"Braiding is an art." says, Candies Spearman of Winstonville. Latonya Williams of Rosedale, Assistant Instructor, observes.

Xaviery Coleman of Jonestown shapes up Cordero Price of Clarksdale while Jessie Nunley, Instructor, looks on.

English Composition I

Poetry Winner
First Place

Black Pride

Black Pride is undeniable,
Its strengths are so reliable,
Its courage is cried for,
True soldiers have died fore.
Black Pride I'll ride with,
Its destiny, I confide in,
Its sanction, I won't complain in,
True soldier shall ordain it.
Black Pride to the end,
Its state was heaven sent,
Its grace without prejudice,
True soldiers can handle it.
Black Pride

By: Tunder Davis of Jonestown

Kyla Giles, Martin Robinson, Byron Reddick, Raiesha Payno of Friars Point, Jalisa Brunt of Jonestown, Warren Taylor of Byhalia, Bobby Holliday of Memphis, TN and Robert Rockett, Instructor

Spanish I

Wilsherie Hopson of Clarksdale, JaKendria Magsby of Lula, Tyrone Powell of Clarksdale, Layne Boykin of Leland, Raymond Shark of Leland, Ciara Murray of Mattson and Joshua Nave, Instructor

Western Civilization

Renita Hogan, Kamelia Danson, LaSkya Sample of Tutwiler, Sean Commings of Clarksdale, Arielle Taylor of Memphis, TN, Marquise Mems of Shelby, Shaneka Johnson of Jonestown, Donteeno Todd of Memphis, TN, Sarrika Payne of Clarksdale, Broadis Toles of Oxford and Regina Givens of Bobo and Roosevelt Wade, Instructor

Microbiology Lecture

Tiffany McNeal and Kusum Bhetwal of Clarksdale with Patricia Furdge, Chairperson of the Science and Math Department

Telling the good news, "We passed our Final Exam." Willie Robinson, Myrtis Pate and Lopaz Richardson of Clarksdale share the good news with Evelyn Washington, Academic Counselor.

College Mathematics

LaTonya Robinson of Clarksdale, Nakita Kimble of Charleston, Sherborshia Williams, Avis Walker of Cleveland, Shakira McClendon of Lula, Marque Raiford of Olive Branch, Traveon Ranson of Clarksdale and Clemontine Catchings, Instructor

Deconte Walker of Rosedale, Jasper Heard of Pensacola, FL, Lakeedra Giles of Marks, Jennifer Price of Clarksdale and Baha Hamed of New York

ADN Students

Associate Degree Nursing

Tosheba Hill of Cleveland and Carolyn Fowler display a very important poster.

Group study is a must in ADN school.
Sherrica Smith, Daryl Briggs of Charleston, Undra Haggan, Lashell Melton, Carla Hickman, Carolyn Fowler, Jacqueline Hicks and Quoinsetta Turner of Cleveland

Best of Friends!
Catherine Butler and Wykeshia Jackson

Respiratory Care

Narsaunika Howell of Greenville checks air way on patient.

Quentasha Johnson and Katrina Bowman of Greenville, Tori Calhoun and Shavonda Leslie of Greenville administer oxygen to this little patient.

Carpentry

Robert Miller of Jonetown and Ray Magsby of Lula explain the lesson being projected through a powerpoint presentation.

Collision Repair

Carlandus Downing, Travis Sanders and Tarji Taylor (right) all of Clarksdale remove a broken window from a vehicle.

Marcus Allen, Arielle Hearst, James Ranson and Cheyanna Martin play a game of cards in the student union.

Art Design II

Israel Reed listens to instructions being given by Roslind Wilcox, Instructor.

Lopaz Richardson of Clarksdale is working on a painting.

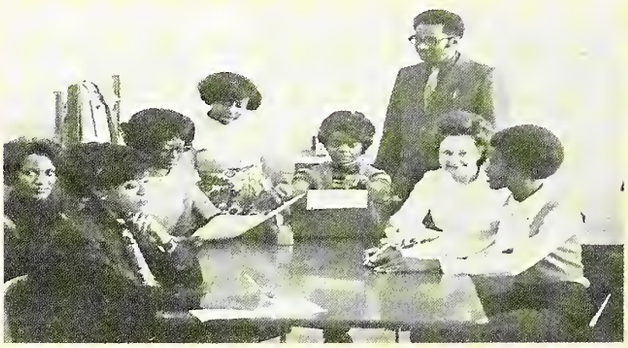
David Caudillo is finishing a painting.

Reading

Akeene Lewis of Little Rock, AR, Marshawn Carr of Memphis, TN, Cordaryl Campbell of Rosedale, Shakira McClendon, Curtis Morrow, Vincent Hayes and Torrance Daniels of Clarksdale

Wanda Reed, English Instructor, gives last minute instructions to LaKimberly Turner of Clarksdale and Yolanda Tanner of Cleveland.

Vera Griffin, College English Teacher 1973



Wanda Reed, College English Teacher 1973

English Department Meeting 1973
Georgia Lewis, Dorothy Jefferson, Sebetha Jenkins, Wanda Reed, Vera Griffin, Henry White, Area Chair; Charlotte Kaplan, Hazel Carlos

Finishing assignments are Edreika McCoy of Friars Point, Lawrence Johnson, Omari Flowers of Clarksdale, Shaquavious Clay of Cleveland, Felicia Williams of Marks and Emmanuel Williams of Clarksdale.

World Literature

English Composition I

Sarrika Payne of Clarksdale and Regina Givens of Bobo discuss journal entries with English Instructor, David Jones.

Marvin Harvey of Tunica and Ciara Murray of Mattson listen intently as Glynda Duncan, English Instructor, describes APA format.

Welding and Cutting

The Basic Welding class provides students with the knowledge of the welding trade. This knowledge includes basic welding principles such as: oxy fuel cutting, shielded metal arc welding, gas metal arc welding, gas tungsten arc welding and blueprint reading.

Demorris Raymond, Nathanial Tenner and Marcus Fortney

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General Activities

The general activities class learns about which exercises can keep the body in shape. The class involves a lot of stretching and vigorous use of the muscles.

Skylar Gibbs and Marlecia Williams spend time in the student union unwinding.

Students like to visit the library to study, read books, magazines and newspapers, etc. Wanda Ranson of Clarksdale and Shaquavious Clay of Cleveland take time to browse the **Chronicle of Higher Education.**

Spring Registration 2009

Hundreds of students fill the Pinnacle for spring semester registration.

All smiles over registration are Tiffany Watson (left) and Bridgette Lucas, both of Cleveland. They are majoring in Early Childhood Education.

Shondra Webster of Greenvile is excited over entering her first semester in practical nursing. Assisting her with registration are instructors Lori Simmons and Emily Gordon. Also pictured are instructors Gloria Gipson and Flora Williams.

Sports

Ready for hard hitting on the gridiron?

First Down!

Get a touchdown.

Season Opener
Coahoma 47
East Central 31

n, offensive lineman of Memphis leads his teammates in a victory celebration at the season opener.

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f the Mississippi Association of Colleges as
vith the highest graduation rate among its
r the 1991-92 school year.
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ng Athletes given in three divisions: Public
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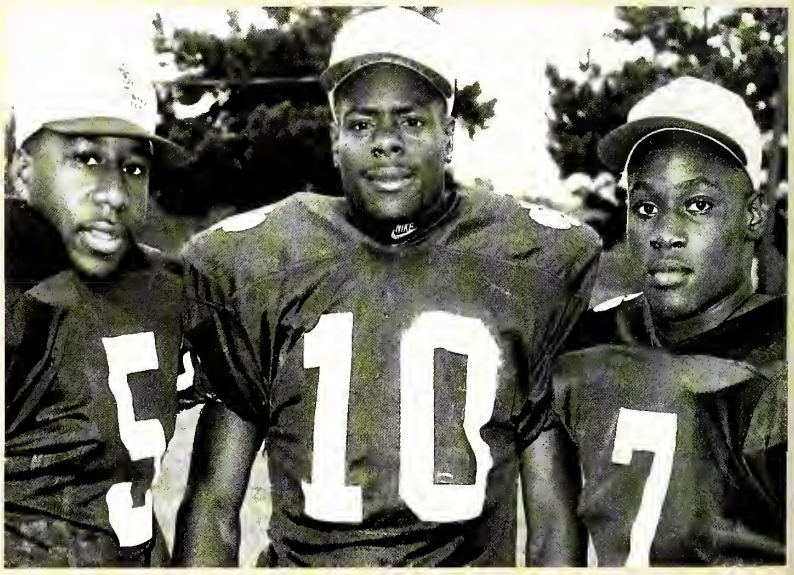

Charles Cooley, Hubert Murphy, Jeffrey Banks

Tiger Offensive Leader Marvin Pittman

Coahoma Community College's decisive 48-34 win over Mississippi Delta Sept. 11 has sky-rocketed the Tigers back on top as offensive leader and quarterback Marvin Pittman as offensive player of the week in the Northern Division of Community and Junior College football, according to official Region 23 statistics.

"We are very pleased with our team effort, and appreciate so much our students and fans coming out and supporting us; the large crowd at Moorhead made it seem like a home game," commented Freeman Horton, CCC athletic director and head football coach.

"We hope to have everyone's continued support this Thursday for our home game with Holmes," he continued.

CCC and Pittman earned the division's top offensive titles initially following the season opening 47-31 victory over East Central on Aug. 28. Coahoma's second game with Southwest was postponed following Hurricane Gustav.

In rushing offense Coahoma scored eight touchdowns and averaged 393 yards per game; and earned 13 TDs and averaged 559.5 yards in total offense per game.

Against MDCC, Pittman, a sophomore from Clarksdale, was 10 of 19 passes for 117 yards and three touchdowns; 14 carries for 180 yards and one TD.

With five touchdowns, he was also ranked number one in pass efficiency.

Running back Timothy Graham of Benoit was number three in individual rushing with four touchdowns, and an average of 122 yards per game, and Katral James of Atmore, Ala., was ranked number seven with two touchdowns and 84.yards per game.

Defensive standouts for Coahoma were Jarrod Jefferson of Atmore, Ala., ranked number four in the division with 2.5 individual sacks, and Christopher Tucker of Rosedale with 2 sacks.

By Public Relations
Panny Mayfield

Tiger Highlights

Taking a breather during the Holmes game are Timothy Graham (left), the division's leading rusher; and defensive standout Jarrod Jefferson, ranked fourth in individual sacks.

Super Soul Tiger Taste Carnival
'Mexican'

Homecoming Parade
"Take 'Em for a Ride" float by the Math & Science Depar

Mercedes Monday
- LaChasity Brown elected Homecoming Queen
- A Soul Tiger Taste Carnival
- Gospal Festival

Lexus Tuesday
- Faculity & Staff Talent Show

Wednesday
- OL' School '57 Chevy
- Breast Cancer Awareness
- "Hit the Switches" Car Show

Thunderbird Thursday
- R & B 112 Concert
- Soul TrainDance

Ferrari Friday
- Super Soul Tiger Taste Carnival
- Pep Rally
- Bonfire & Fire Works

Cadillac Saturday
- Lil' Tiger Pee Wee Football Game
- Homecoming Parade
- Football game with Northeast Community College
- Tailgate Parties
- Blues Concert

Faculty & Staff Talent Show
A rendition of Morris Day and The Times is being performed by
Pittman, Housekeeping, Maintenance/Building & Grounds; J
McKee, Director, Educational Outreach/Online Classes; Eugene
Director Student Activities/Career Counselor.

Phi Beta Lambda's float

A student climbs a rock wall.

Miss Homecoming 2008-2009

LaChasity Artrice Brown and her brother Paul Brown

LaChasity is the nineteen-year-old daughter of Verdell and Christine Brown of Clarksdale. She is the youngest of five children.

She enjoys reading, spending time with family and friends, going to church, traveling, and being of good help to someone.

As a sophomore Pre-Nursing scholar, LaChasity serves as an Ambassador, a member of the Math and Science Club, SIFE, Student Government Association, and a member of the Tiger Cheerleading Squad.

LaChasity plans to attend the University of Mississippi Medical Center to obtain a master's degree in Nursing. She believes the best way to discover change in the world is to become a agent for change. Her destiny is not a matter of chance; it is a matter of choice. It is not to be waited for; it is a thing to be achieved.

Her purpose is to love, to live, to learn, and to leave a legacy.

By LaChasity Brown

Big Win! Big Win!

Defense is the key!

Coahoma Community College 28
Northwest Community College 25

Mighty Tiger Football Team

Christopher Tucker of Rosedale, Lorenzo Taylor of Benoit, Katral James of Atmore, AL, Timothy Graham of Benoit, Colin Ward of Shaw,
David Gallagher of Pensacola, FL

Kendrick Brown of Rosedale, Jeremy Harvey of Tunica, Daniel Lee of Rosedale, Deangelo Anderson of Memphis, Marvin Pittman, Carver Gregory of Clarksdale

Decante Walker of Rosedale, Marcus Allen, Warren Taylor of Byhalia, Nathan Hampton of Clarksdale, LaDarius Dawson of Rosedale, Vernon Saffold of Clarksdale

Kenrick Kennedy of Laurel, Terrance Bates, Patrick Oliver of Memphis, Cedrick Killebrew of Memphis, Glenn Washington of Memphis, Jarques Crawford o f Marks

Broadis Toles of Oxford, Michael Ruffin of Memphis, Kondwani Coleman of Shelby, Jeran Turner, Jasper Heard of Pensacola, FL, Jeran Brady of Greenville

Nico Jones of Memphis, Charles Miller, Jeremy Atkins of Memphis, Larry Brownlee, Clarence Jordan of Clarksdale, Greg Pollock of Laurel

Tracey James of Southaven, Terrance Hayes of Webb, Desmond Harper of Lakeland, FL, Jamil Johnson of Memphis, Jarrod Jefferson of Atmore, AL, Jarvis Pitts of Atlanta, GA

Artis Sullivan of Memphis, Donterious Williams of Shelby, Antwon Simmons of Memphis, Tavaris Jeffries of Memphis, Timothy Johnson of Clarksdale, Demardre Dean o f Memphis

Bobby Holiday of Memphis, Jadrian Gilbert of Marianna, FL Freeman Horton, Head Coach; Billy Fields, Assistant Coach; William Kirkey, Defensive Coordinator; Selina Reed, Athletic Trainer

T.C. Taylor, Offensive Coordinator; Kenrick Travis, Assistant Coach; Dwike Wilson, Assistant Coach

Moving the ball around and 'taking it to the HOOP'

Lady Tiger coach Brooks calls her team, "a great group with good work ethics; they're fast and tough."
"They're good kids; they work together and enjoy playing basketball."
"They're a lot quicker than last year; show flashes of brilliance, shoot better, and attack the basket."

Driving the lane is Sheretha Butler.

1979 Region Seven Championship Team

Seated: Bernita Jackson, Brenda Oliver, Alice White, Romania McCastle, Gay Nell Beasley, and Sandra Wiley
Standing: Linda Howard, Joy Mosby, Chan Crockett, Susie Furdge, Shirley Hall, Rachelle Liggans and Coach Ella Stampley

Several excellent ball-handlers including Radius Collins contribute a lot to the team's success.

The Lady Tigers with the Magic Touch!

Front row: Arielle Taylor of Memphis, TN, Sheretha Butler of Memphis, TN, Jonnetta Robinson of Bobo, Michaela Goodson of Cleveland and Markico Taylor of Independence
Back row: Radius Collins of Friars Point, Brittany Carr of Jackson, Tina Watson of Ruleville, Nakita Kimble of Charleston, Richelle Maddox of Cleveland, Amber Hearon of MS, and Ashley Robinson of Jackson

1966 S.I.C. CHAMPIONSHIP TEAM

Lucy Hutton
Mary Barnett
Annie Smith
Vera Kirkland
Verna Kirkland
Vallena Johnson
Odessa Sanders

Dominating Men!

CorDaryl Campbell of Rosedale

JeJuan Jacks of
Memphis, TN

Horace Whitehead
of Clarksdale

The Mighty Tiger Team

Front Row: Donterro Todd of Barlett, TN, CorDaryl Campbell of Rosedale, Akeem Scott of Ruleville. JeJuan Jacks of Sommerville, TN, Fabian McPherson of Greenville, DeJuan Davis of Holly Springs. Akeem Lewis of Wheatley, AR
Back Row: Tensley Cowan of Jackson, Horace Whitehead of MS, Joseph Dancey of Mound Bayou. Marshawn Carr of Memphis, TN, Daryl Moore of Bobo, Marquise Mems of Shelby, and Melvin Brooks of Memphis, TN

1961-62 Basketball Highlights

Happy Tigers after receiving Trophy

Matthew and Johnson receive Runner-up Trophy in S. I. C. play-off.

Coach of the Year William C. Gaines 1966

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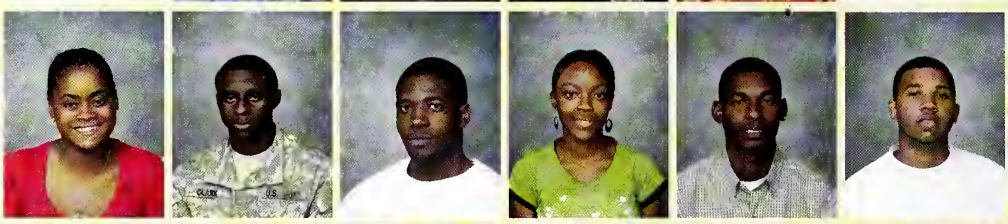

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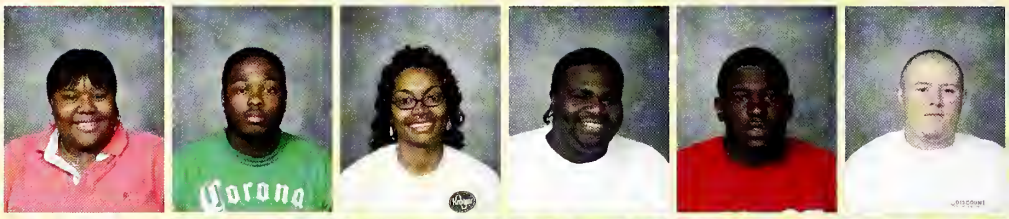

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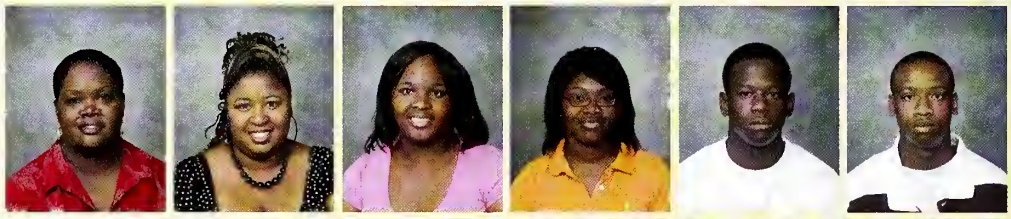

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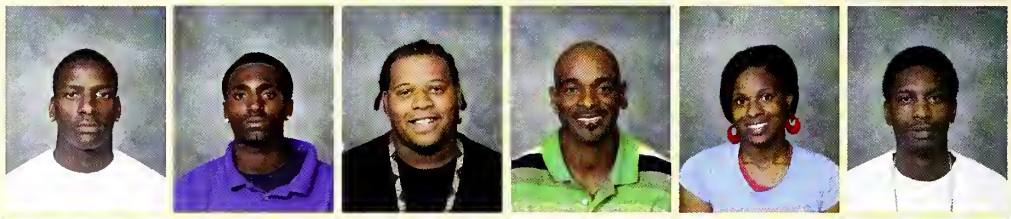

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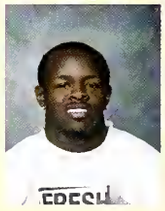
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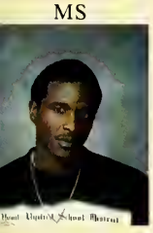
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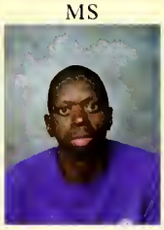
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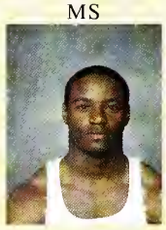
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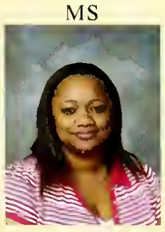
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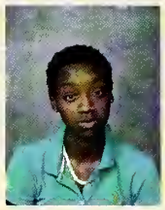
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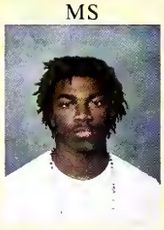
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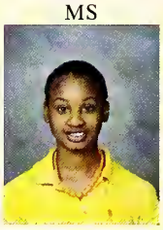
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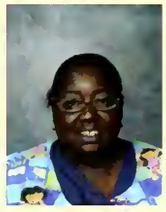
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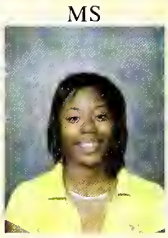
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Sophomores of 1958

Who's Who Among Students in American Colleges & Universities

LaChasity Brown
Pre-Nursing

LaChasity is the 2008 Homecoming Queen. She is a member of Phi Theta Kappa, SGA, CCC Student Ambassadors, SIFE, Math and Science Club, and a Tiger Cheerleader. She plans to become a nurse practitioner and work in a women's clinic. Her belief is that to obtain change in the world we must become that change. LaChasity plans to attend the University of Mississippi Medical Center.

Sean Cummings
Pre-Nursing

Sean is a member of the Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society and the Math and Science Symposium. He is also a 2008 Academic Excellence Award winner. Sean plans to become a family registered nurse practitioner. He plans to open a clinic to ensure the health of the people in his community.

Delores Harris
Pre-Pharmacy

Delores is Miss Coahoma Community College 2008-2009 and a CCC Student Ambassador. She is a member of the SGA, Math and Science Symposium, CCC Cheerleader Squad, SIFE, and Resident Assistant Committee. Delores will further her education at the University of Mississippi. She plans to become a pharmacist.

Matthew Harris
Social Science

Matthew is Mr. Coahoma Community College 2008-09, Student Ambassador, Resident Assistant, and a member of SIFE. He is the editor of the **Coahoma Tribune** and member of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society. He plans to become a Social Science professor.

Karisha Lackey
Pre-Nursing

Karisha is the secretary of the Math and Science Symposium and is Miss Math and Science. She is dedicated member of her church where she plays the drums and piano. She plans to attend Mississippi State University to pursue a career in physical therapy.

Edreika McCoy
Criminal Justice

Edreika is a President's List Scholar, member of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, and Majorette Captain of the CCC Marching Band. Protecting her community and caring for the needs of others is her passion. Edreika plans to give back to her community by establishing a tutorial/recreational facility to help the youth believe that they can succeed. She also plans to write a book to inspire them that their dreams are accessible.

Daryl Devon Moore
Math Education

Daryl is an honor student. He is a member of the Math and Science club, and is a member of the Coahoma Tiger Basketball Team. Daryl plans to attend Delta State University to further his education in Math. He is a an usher and a dedicated member of his church. He plans to become a productive Math Teacher.

Dennisa Nolan
Respiratory Care

Dennisa is President of Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society. She has chosen a career in respiratory care to ensure a better and healthier future for all by promoting prevention, quality treatment, and management of respiratory diseases. She is a lifetime advocate for clean air with a strong voice and has dedicated countless hours across the state of Mississippi improving life, one breath at a time.

Jasmine Nolan
Associate Degree Nursing

Jasmine is a member of Phi Theta Kappa International Honor Society. She is a 2007 Gates Millennium Scholar and a recipient of Coahoma Community College Leadership Award. She is aspiring to become a nurse practitioner with a passion for enabling others to live full, enriching lives. Jasmine is driven by the desire to make a difference through caregiving and compassion.

Saint Ranson
Pre-Law/General Education

Saint is the Student Government Association President 2008-2009, Phi Theta Kappa member, Student Ambassador, National Model United Nations member, and Resident Assistant at Coahoma Community College, 2008 President Scholar Recipient, SIFE member, and English Club member. He plays various instruments but loves the keyboard.

Deloris Rich
Culinary Arts Major

Deloris is a member of the Technical Honor Society, Epicurean Society, VICA, Delta Epsilon Chi, President of the Kitchen Committee and Hospitality Ministry. Her passion is Culinary Arts, and she plans to become a chef because she enjoys cooking, being able to create meals or dishes that are new, loves to meet different ethnic groups of people. Owning her own business is her life goal.

Edward Seals, Jr.
Pre-Medical Major

Edward is Vice-President of SGA, President of the Math and Science Symposium, Vice-President of SIFE, Vice-President of Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, a staff writer of the Coahoma Tribune, member of National Model United Nations, member of the English Club, CCC Ambassador, Edward is a volunteer tutor and the 2008-2009 H.E.A.D.W.A.E. Student Honoree and Recipient of the 2008-2009 Epsilon Xi Lambda Chapter of Alpha Phi Alpha Scholarship Award. His career goal is to become a pediatrician in a southern rural south community.

Arshada Weathers
Pre-Nursing Major

Arshada is Chief of Staff of the Student Government Association, Member of the Phi Theta Kappa Honor Society, Chair Person of the Mt. Olive M.B. Church Usher Board. Arshada is the recipient of the Delta Sigma Theta, Fannie Lou Hamer Scholarship and the Robert "Train" Emery award. She is an avid reader. She plans to become a registered nurse and later further her career as a nurse practitioner at The University of Tennessee. Arshada's goal in life is to travel the world and have an impact on everyone she meets.

Dominique Williams
Social Work

Dominique is member of Phi Theta Kappa. She volunteers for several Non-Profit Organizations in her community. Her future goal is to obtain a bachelor's degree from Delta State University in Social Science Education. She plans to become a successful counselor to young women.

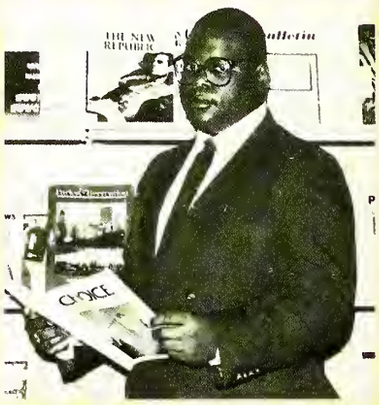
Felicia Williams
Accounting

Felicia is a member of Phi Theta Kappa. She is a facilitator for Madame Butterfly and currently a member of the choir at her church. Felicia will further her education at Delta State University to obtain a Bachelor's Degree in Accounting.

Delores Lyons Lackey
Major: Elementary Education

Tamara Brown
Major: Accounting

Carol Cannon
Major: Business Education



Mitchell D. Allen
Major: General Business

Athsicia Burrel
Major: Criminal Justice

Finding you!

I'm speaking of you Coahoma Community College.

I see in me and my peers a constant strive for excellence and personal development. I often pause to think of the cotton fields that were cleared for this great institution. Oh, what we see that is created!

I recognize that every student, faculty and staff had a profound influence on me. I think how I have learned from each one being conscious of how I am shaped by my shared experiences. I certainly have grown to love Coahoma Community College!

I know it is a place that will send me far. I believe it has sent the people that came before me and the people who will come after me far.

Yet, I feel really at peace with who I am. In this process, I have achieved a greater understanding of myself. Knowing oneself is always better.

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Mr. Coahoma Community College

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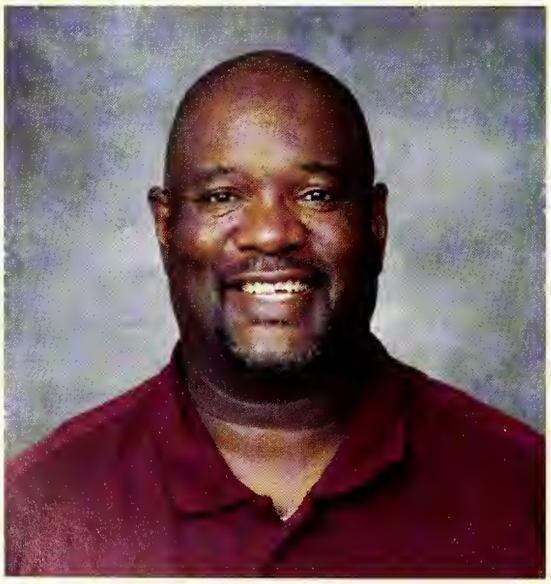

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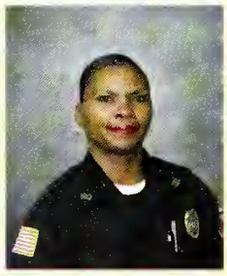

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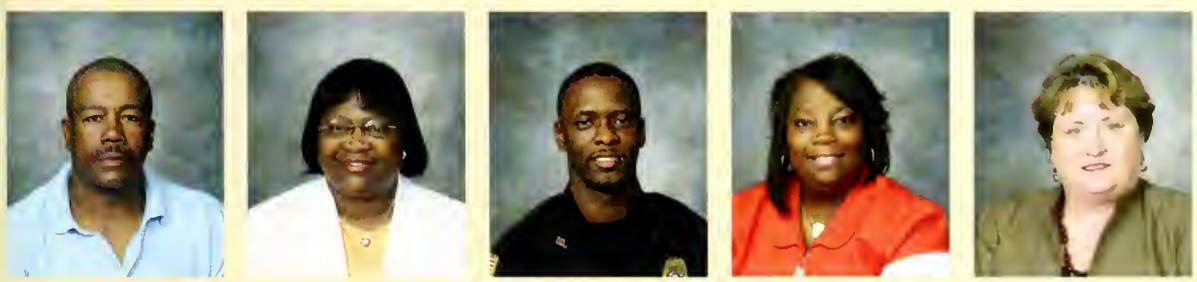

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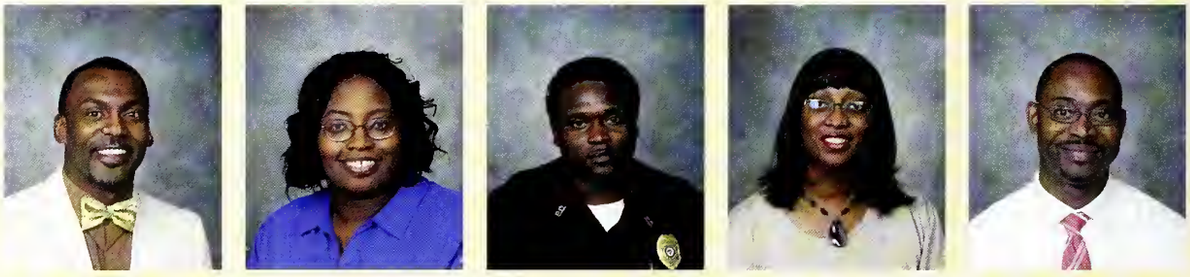

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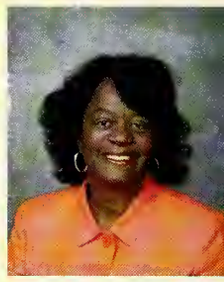

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Department of Social Science

1985

In preparation for next hour classes, Mrs. Beatrice Reid and Mr. Roosevelt Wade glance over their lesson plans, while Carl Pitts takes a breather.

Licensed Practical Nursing

Taking care of others

Pursuing a career in Licensed Practical Nursing together are twins Tabitha Conner and Tasheba Conner.

The Licensed Practical Nursing program is the first implemented nursing program on the campus.

The procedure being performed is insertion of Urinary Foley Catheter. A nurse must be ready with knowledge and skills to master this task.

Emily Gordon, instructor, Mary Lawson and Tabitha Conner

Public Speaking

Willie Robinson, Nerma Moore, Instructor, Jaleesa Harris, Tonya Thomas, Towania Dixon, and DeRachel Davis work on a group assignment researching various cultures.

Speaking and Listening Class, MS. LIZETTE HURST
Instructor

1974

Black Emphasis Month Celebration

PROCLAMATION

Whereas, Dr. Aaron E. Henry is a distinguished citizen of the City of Clarksdale, Mississippi, and

Whereas, he is a graduate of Coahoma Agricultural High School, and

Whereas, he is the donor of the Aaron E. Henry Citizenship Award given at Coahoma Junior College each year, and

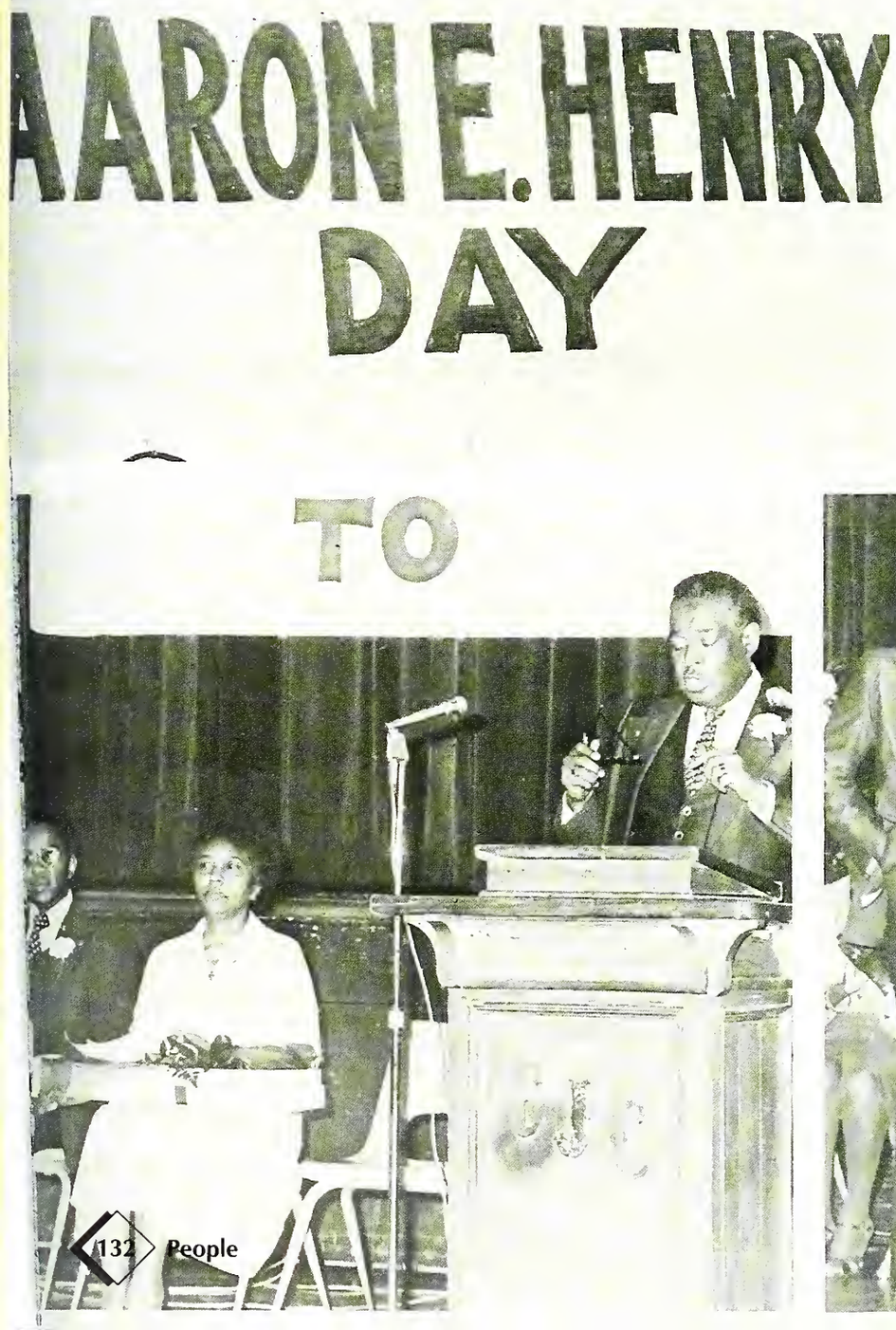
Whereas, he is one of the benefactors of this institution, and

Whereas, he is the source of inspiration to aspiring young Black people, and

Whereas, he is one of the leading contributors to the political and social welfare of mankind, and

Whereas, he is an outstanding and distinguished example of Black achievement,

I, James E. Miller, with the power vested in me as President of this institution, hereby proclaim on this campus, this day, February 15, 1979, as Aaron E. Henry Day.



African Children's Choir
Journey of Hope

On February 16, 2009, more than 1,200 were captivated by the riveting rhythms, dances, and songs performed by thirty (30) youngsters ranging in age from seven (7) to eleven (11) in the African Children's Choir at Coahoma Community College Monday afternoon. Although most of the songs were sung in the dialects of Rawanda, Ghana, Nigeria, the Sudan, Kenya, and Somalia, their Journey of Hope' message was international, and several were presented in English: 'This Little Light of Mine,' and 'He's got the Whole World in His Hands.'

The group has appeared on national television, at the United Nations, and at the Royal Albert Hall in London to raise awareness of the plight of orphaned and abandoned children. The free concert was sponsored by CCC's Lyceum's Series, the Rock River Foundation, and the Mississippi Festival.

African Children's Choir

FINALE... The children introduce themselves.

The boys pose for a picture before boarding the bus, and a young lady sneaks into the picture wearing a pink headband.

First Hall of Fame

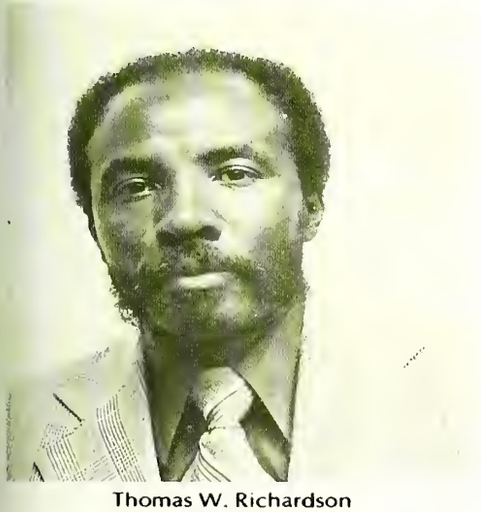
Inductees

Joseph L. Bisset
Athletics

Mrs. Robbie L. Thomas Abrams
Academics

James H. Black
Academics

Joseph E. Cain
Athletics



Thomas W. Richardson
Academics

Mrs. Mary L. White Alexander
Academics

Eddie C. Smith
Academics

Eugene Gooden
Athletics

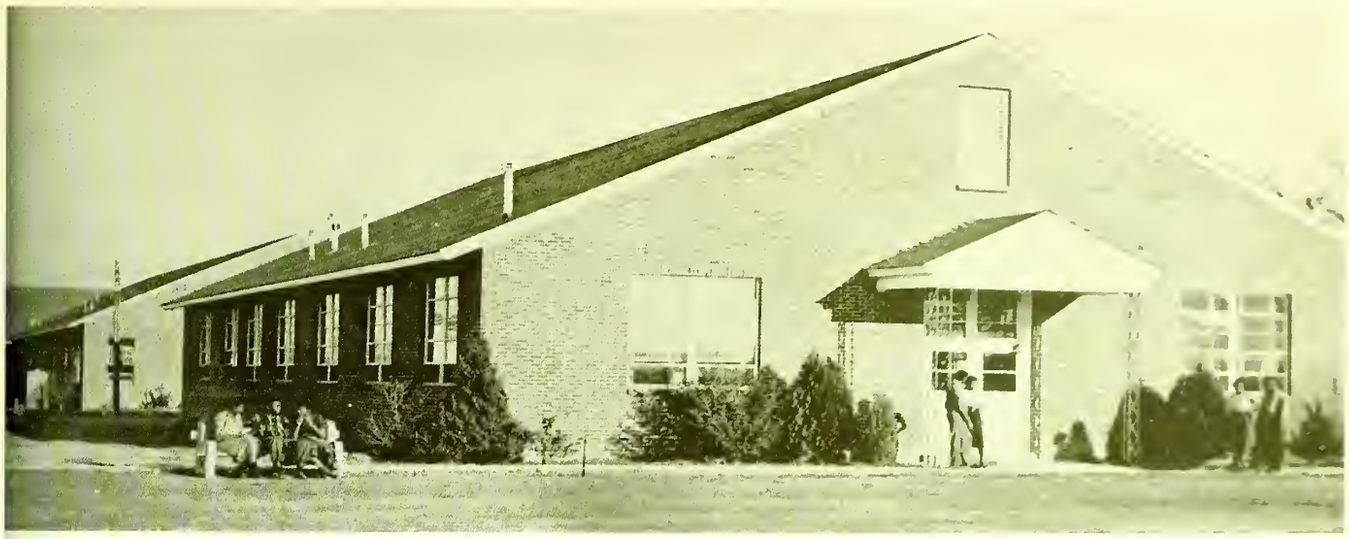
Aubrey E. Hill
Athletics

Flashback! 1963

LYCEUM COMMITTEE PRESENTS
SHIRLEY VERRETT-CARTER,
MEZZO SOPRANO and WARREN WILSON, ACCOMPANIST
UNDER THE AUSPICES OF
THE ARTS PROGRAM of A.A.C. 200 WEST 57TH STREET NEW YORK 19, N.Y.

Mrs. Barron, Keith Tobias and Miss Carter

Flashback! 1958



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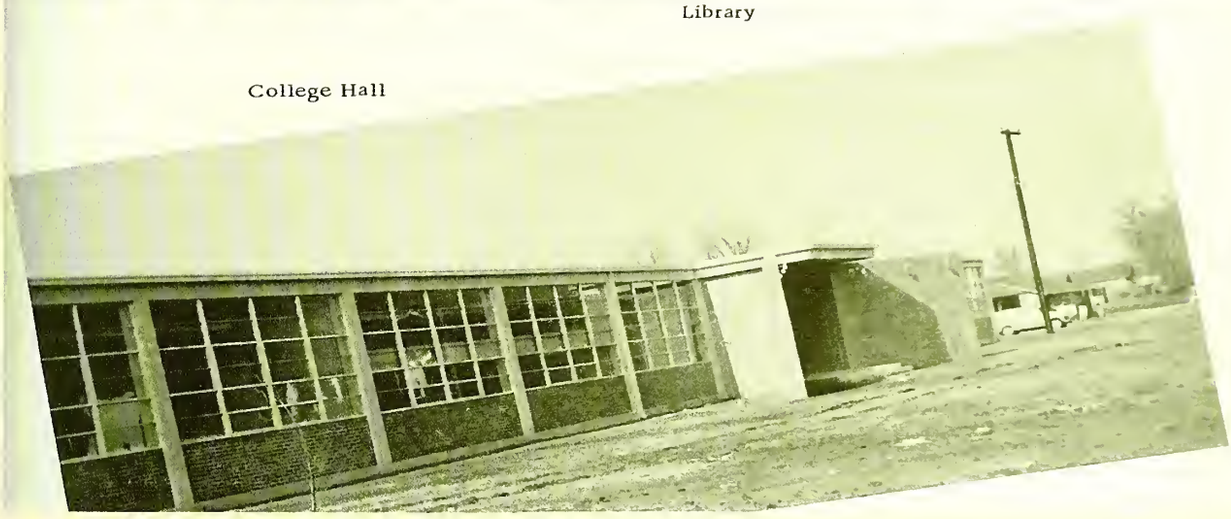


Currently Whiteside Hall

MR. LONNIE HARRISON, Maintenance

Flashback 1974

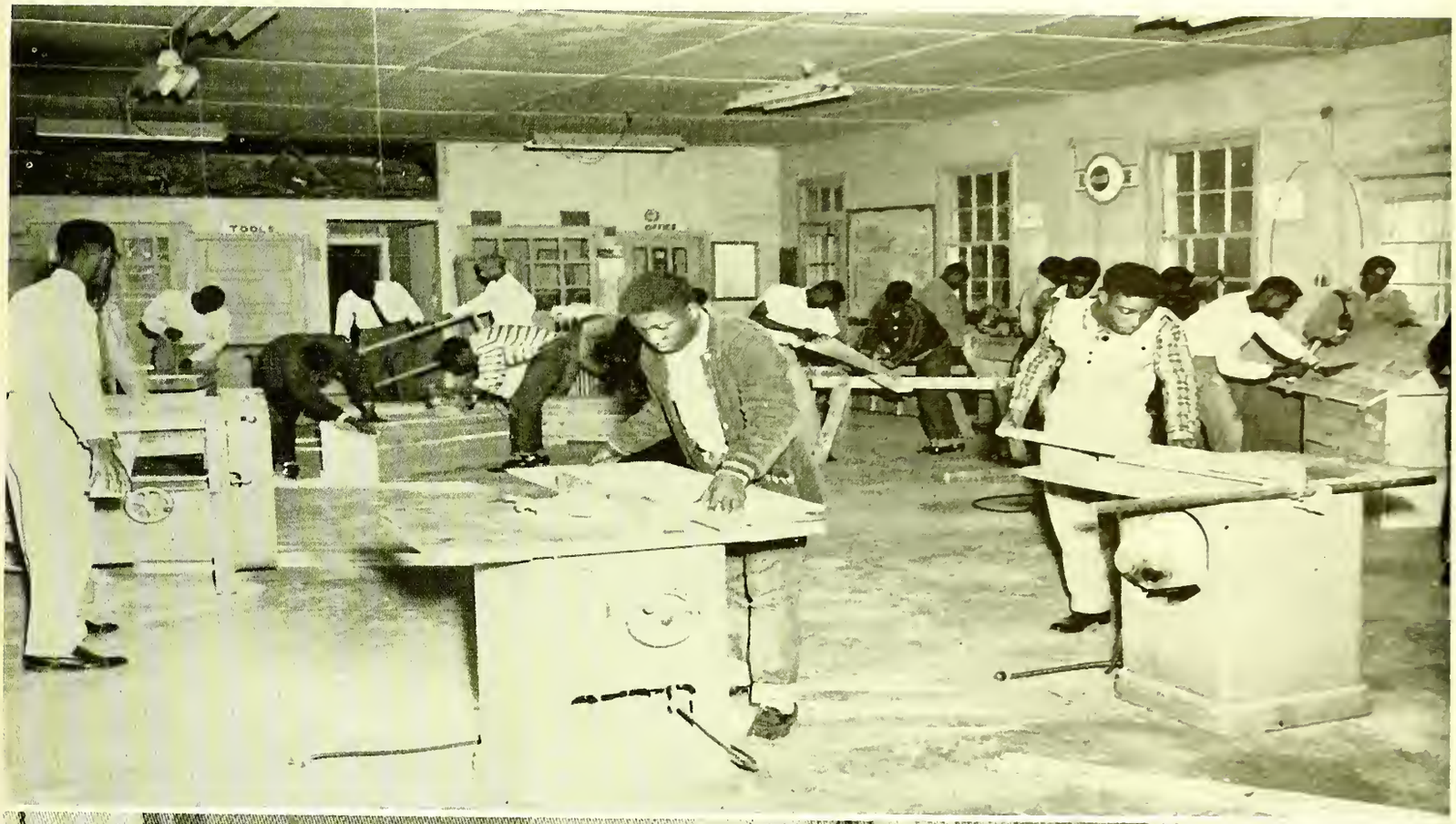
Flashback 1957

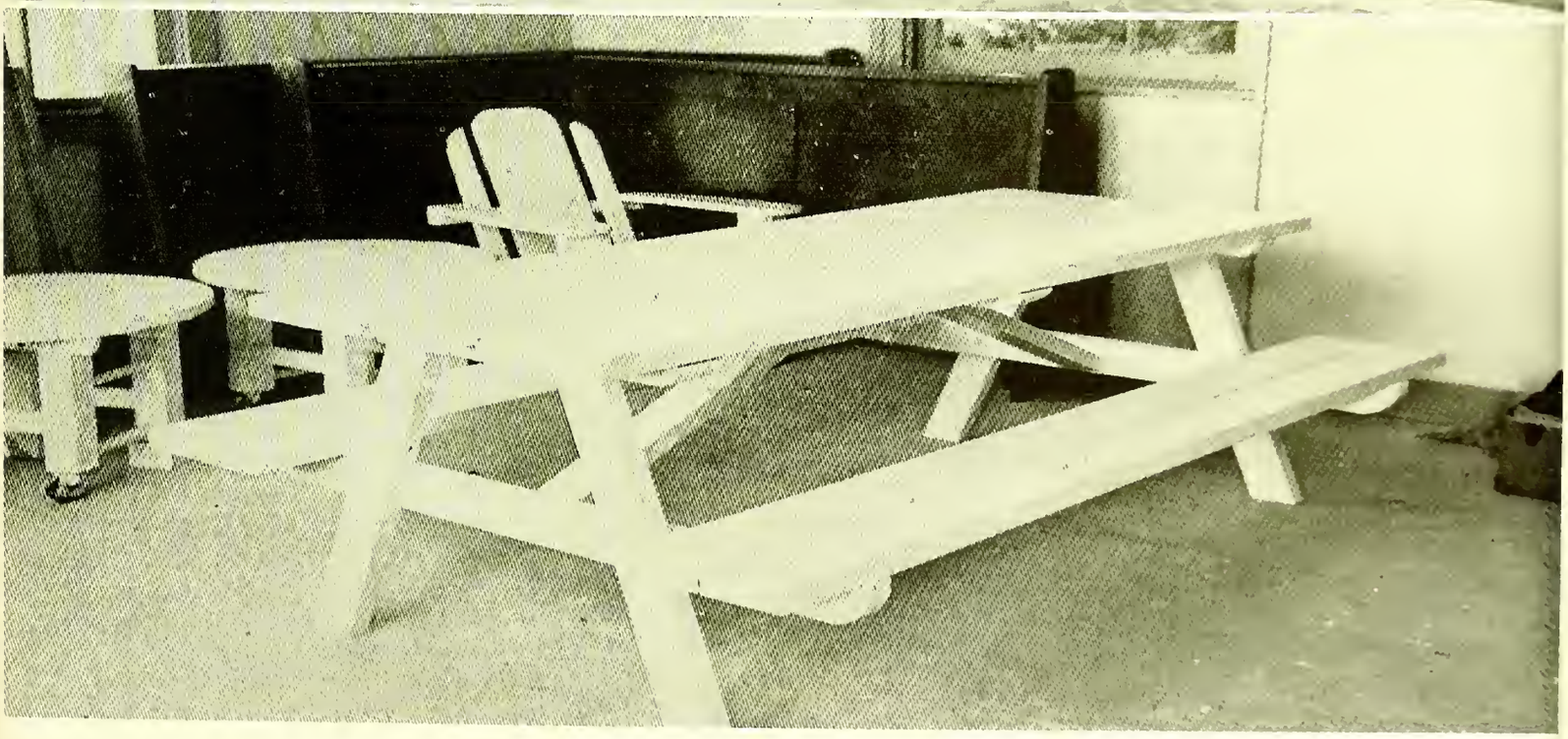
Group Reading in College Library

Business Education Class

Flashback 1958

Class in Carpentry





A Finished Product

The Coahoman Yearbook Staff

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This 60th Anniversary Edition of **The Coahoman** is published in recognition of a milestone in the history of Coahoma Community College. The staff has endeavored to provide snippets of past events through words and pictures. An effort has been made to cover all areas of the institution interspersed with historical events which we hope will bring back good memories and hopefully make you smile.

A lack of space prevented the inclusion of many other events. We hope you enjoy this edition of The **Coahoman** as we celebrate sixty (60) years as an institution dedicated to "Quality and Excellence."

Coming Back to the Campus!

Remembering the Good Old days...

Were You There?

Board of Trustees

Standing: William Bradley, Board Attorney from Coahoma County, Ned Gathwright, President from Quitman County, and Dr. Vivian M. Presley, Coahoma Community College President
Seated: Rena Butler, Secretary from Coahoma County, Johnny McGlown, Vice President from Coahoma County

The watchful eyes that serve five counties

Standing: David Williams from Tunica County, Robert Mason from Bolivar County, Howard Hollins from Tallahatchie County, Willie Blocker from Bolivar County, Pauline Rhodes from Coahoma County, Valmadge Towner from Quitman County

Seated: Rev. Andrew Hawkins from Tallahatchie County, Cynthia Mitchell from Coahoma County, William Clark of Coahoma County, Rev. Dennis Hawkins of Coahoma County, and Jerry Gentry form Tunica County

Coahoma Community College 4th President

The First Female to hold this office

Dr. Vivian Mathews Presley
Appointed January 6, 1992

The 44th President of the United States

The First African American to hold this office

President Barack Hussein Obama II
Elected November 4, 2008 Inaugurated January 20, 2009

Closing

Kudos!!

Otha Williams III represents CCC at Grassroots Caucus Washington, DC

Coahoma Community College science and technology instructor Otha Williams III represent the college at the event that focus on economic development issues, health care, transportation, and alternative energy sources in the Delta.

In past years CCC president Vivian Presley has spoken on the importance of education in the Delta region and has moderated panels of educators during the conference.

By Panny Mayfield
Public Relations

Yvonne M. Stanford Clarksdale's Citizen of the Year

Clarksdale's Citizen of the Year is Director of Library Services at Coahoma Community College, has served as president of the Chamber of Commerce; received Bell South's Award as one of Mississippi's top 50 women in business and industry; serves on the board of Trustees of the Delta Blues Museum, Carnegie Public Library, Secretary of the Sunflower River Blues Association and recipient of the association's highest honor, the Early Wright Blues Heritage Award. She is a board member of the Mississippi Delta Tennessee Williams Festival, an active member of Delta Sigma Theta Sorority and serves as Financial Secretary of the local chapter, the American Cancer Society and a member of Bell Grove Baptist Church.

Clarksdale honors the daughter of Josephine and the late Thomas McClinton Sr. the wife of Otis Stanford; the mother of Sean and O.J. Stanford. and the strong supporter of Clarksdale, Coahoma County, the state of Mississippi, and the United States of America.

Glynda Duncan helps develop project for Mississippi colleges

An elite new English Composition II textbook for two-year colleges saving students big bucks at the bookstore is hot off the press thanks to persistent Mississippi community colleges instructors dissatisfied with quality of current books now in use and their high pricetag.

A key member of the charter committee working hard on the project for the past two years is Coahoma Community College's veteran English teacher Glynda Duncan who has has written one of its 17 chapters and helped edit and supervise the project.

Playing a major role in the project is CCC English teacher Robert Rockett, who is serving as state chair of TYCAM (two-year teachers of English in Mississippi), the sponsoring organization that voted two years ago to develop the book.

By Public Relations
Panny Mayfield

CCC Soloists Sing at Kennedy Center

Two soloists with Coahoma Community College's acclaimed Concert Choir sang at the Kennedy Center as members of "The 105 Voices of History" during National Historically Black College and Universities (HBCU) Week.

Kimberly Suggs of Jonestown and DeMario Johnson were selected to participate in the national celebration, says Kelvin Towers, CCC choir director and choral department chairman.

Towers said goals of the HBCU National Choir are to affect diversity and provide opportunities for students, faculty, and conductors to gain training and experiences at the highest levels.

By Public Relations
Panny Mayfield

Robert Rockett MHC Outstanding Teacher

When he was a seventh grader at Hull Elementary in Coahoma, Robert Rockett made a decision to become an English teacher.

"I grew up in Rudyard; we didn't have doctors and lawyers in our small community," he says. But his teacher Shirley Harris was a wonderful role model, and he's never regretted following her career path.

Now, after 16 years at Shelby's Broadstreet High School and almost nine at Coahoma Community College, the veteran educator's career is being cited for the Mississippi Humanities Council's Outstanding Teacher Award. "It is a prestigious honor to be nominated," says Rockett in his office at Whiteside Hall.

"His interest in the poet Robert Frost," says Rockett. "For years I have loved the works of Frost and Edgar Allen Poe, and decided the poetry of Frost with emphasis on 'The Mending Wall,' and 'The Road Not Taken' would make a good presentation," he continued.

Although Rockett loves literature, he is steeped also in grammar and writing. "It's important for our students to excel in these areas if they want to live successful lives," he says.

Rockett graduated from Coahoma Agricultural High School, Coahoma Community College, and earned a Bachelor of Arts degree from Alcorn State University and a master's degree

By Public Relations
PannyMayfield

CCC Tigers on National Signing Day

On National Signing Day, four Coahoma Community College football Tigers are joined by family members and CCC Athletic Director and Head Football Coach Freeman Horton (standing far right) as they ink historic letters of intent to play at senior colleges and universities this fall.

The Tigers include (from left) quarterback Marvin Pittman Jr. will be attending Mississippi Valley State University; offensive tackle Tavarius Jeffries of Memphis, the University of Oklahoma; defensive end Vernon Saffold of Clarksdale, South Alabama University; and offensive guard Demardre Dean of Memphis, Tennessee State University. Family and friends on hand for the signing are (standing from left) the quarterback's mother Cassandra Pittman; Renita Hogan and her mother Roxie Hogan of Alligator, special Jeffries supporters; Lucy Saffold, grandmother of Vernon Saffold; and his aunt Hattie Berry.

Humanities Council Award Coahoma Community College and Panny Mayfield for Mississippi Delta Tennessee Williams Festival

The Mississippi Humanities Council Award was given to us (CCC) and Panny Mayfield as the recipients of the Humanities Partner Award. This was a group effort for outstanding contributions and sponsorship by the college to present the Mississippi Delta Tennessee Williams Festival. If not for tremendous co-workers, community volunteers, teachers, organizations, churches, businesses and clubs contributing time, planning,

transportation, financial support, services, and hospitality, this may not have flourished. Let's not forget our other supporter on other campuses, Ole Miss, Delta State University, other community colleges, students and coaches who participate in the student drama competition. Above all, let's not forget the Mississippi Arts commission, and the Rock River Foundation who award grant funds to keep the festival a free event.

HEADWAE Honorees

HEADWAE was established in 1988 by legislative resolution to honor individual academic achievement and the overall contribution of the state's public and private institutions of higher learning.

Honoree Wanda Reed

Honoree Edward Seals, Jr.

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Black History Month Forum

Top leaders, students air straight talk on race, slavery, civil rights and change

Cynthia Mitchell, Coahoma Community College Board member; State Rep. John Mayo; President Vivian M. Presley; Karen Woods-Done, Liberal Arts Chairman and one of the program's organizers pose for a picture following the forum.

Listening intently to a response from Justice Graves are Edward Seals, LaChasity Brown, Richelle Maddox, Matthew Harris, Delores Harris, Yvonne Stanford, Library Director; Johnny Lewis, Alumnus; Rev. Dennis Hawkins, Coahoma Community College Board member.

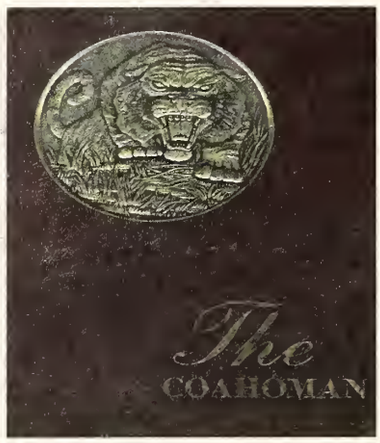
The panel consisted of Clarksdale Attorney Bill Luckett; State Supreme Court Justice James Graves; State Rep. John Mayo; U.S. Assistant Attorney Harold Brittain; former Secretary of Agriculture Mike Espy. Justice Graves emphasized the importance of quality education. "Don't be a coward to excellence," former Secretary of Agriculture Mike Espy charged the students. U.S Assistant Attorney Harold Brittain cited the election of President Barack Obama as confirmation that anything is possible for African Americans. Sharing optimistic views on race relations, Clarksdale Attorney Bill Luckett said African Americans represent 20 percent of America's population, and President Barack Obama was elected by a 54-47 % majority. State Rep. John Mayo (D-Clarksdale) talked about his growing respect for President Obama, his family as a role model for the nation and his new era of trust.

Retention Rally

Aggie Alumnus Freddie Jones was the keynote speaker during the Retention Rally. He admonished students to "have hope, desire, and a plan" in order to be successful. He is a staunch supporter of CCC athletics and the annual golf tournment.

Jones founded a successful computer software company in Huntsville, Alabama.

Right: Anne Shelton-Clark, Career Technical Dean and Charles Butler, Career Technical Counselor offer congratulations and gratitude to Freddie Jones for a dynamic keynote address.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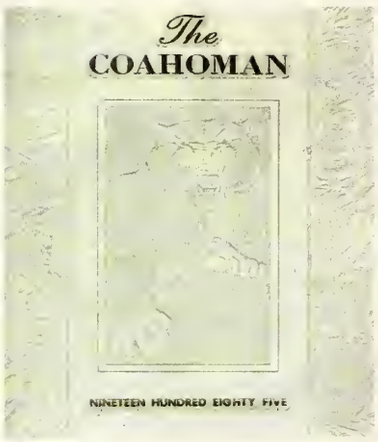
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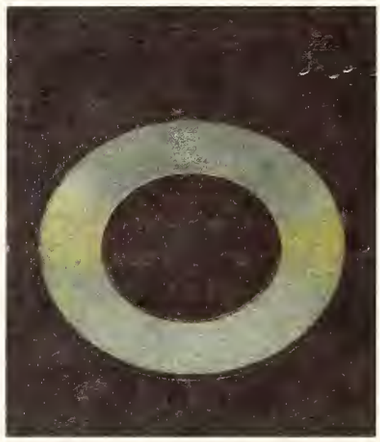

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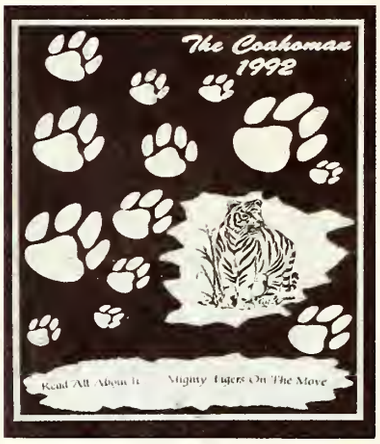
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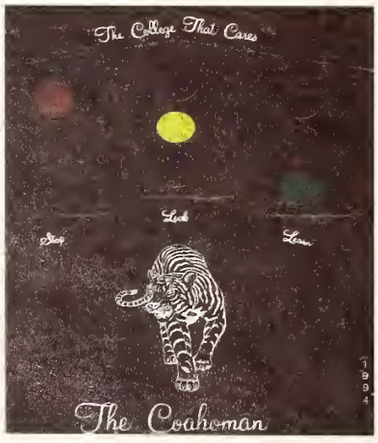
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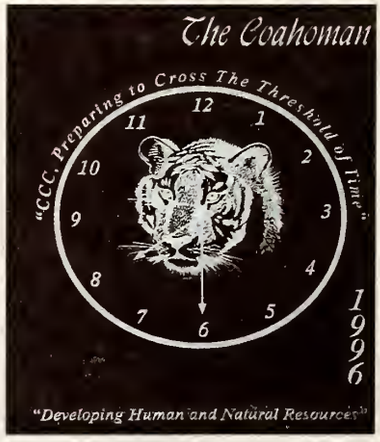
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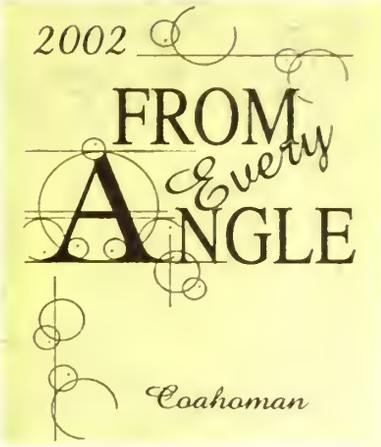
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